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| | | | | | ce FAR 52.212-4. | | | | | Are | Are Not | Attached. |
| 28. Contractor Is Required To Sign This Document And Return Copies X To Issuing Office. Contractor Agrees To Furnish And Deliver All Items Set Forth Or Otherwise Identified Above And On Any Additional Sheets Subject To The Terms And Conditions Specified Herein. | | | | Set Dated Your Offer On Solicitation (Block 5) | | | | | | | | |
| 30a. Signature Of (| Offeror/Cont | ractor | | | | 31a. U | United States | Of Ameri | ica (Signature Of (| Contractii | ng Officer) | |
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| TACOM | DISCLOSURE OF UNIT PRICE INFORMATION | DEC/2002 |

This constitutes notification pursuant to Executive Order 12600, Pre-Disclosure Notification Procedures for Confidential Commercial Information (June 23, 1987), of our intention to release unit prices in response to any request under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 USC 552. Unit price is defined as the contract price per unit or item purchased. We consider any objection to be waived unless the contracting officer is notified of your objection to such posting prior to submission of initial proposals.

[End of Notice]

2 52.204-4016 TACOM-WARREN ELECTRONIC CONTRACTING JUL/2003 (TACOM)

- (a) TACOM is now operating in an electronic contracting environment. All TACOM solicitations and awards are now distributed on the TACOM Warren Business Opportunities web page (http://contracting.tacom.army.mil/opportunity.htm) and are no longer available in hard copy. The TDPs and other documents, when available electronically, will be an attachment or linked to the solicitation package on the web. Please see submission guidelines at http://contracting.tacom.army.mil/ebidnotice.htm for more information. Any requirements included in the solicitation take precedence over quidance found on the TACOM contracting web page.
- (b) You may need to use special software to view documents that we post on the home page. This viewing software is freeware, available for download at no cost from commercial web sites like Microsoft and Adobe. In cases where such software is required, we provide a link from our page to the commercial site where the software is available. Once you arrive at the software developer's site, follow their instructions to download the free viewer. You then can return to the TACOM home page.
- (c) You are required to submit your offer, bid, or quote electronically. See the provision entitled "Electronic Offers (or 'Quotes' or 'Bids') Required in Response to This Solicitation (or 'Request for Quotations')" for more specific information.
- (d) Any award issued as a result of this solicitation will be distributed electronically. Awards posted on the TACOM Warren Business Opportunities web page represent complete OFFICIAL copies of contract awards and will include the awarded unit price. This is the notice required by Executive Order 12600 (June 23, 1987) of our intention to release unit prices in response to any request under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 USC 552. Unit price is defined as the contract price per unit or item purchased as it appears in Section B of the contract and is NOT referring to nor does it include Cost or Pricing data/information. If you object to such release, and you intend on submitting an offer, notify the PCO in writing prior to the closing date identified in this solicitation and include the rationale for your objection consistent with the provisions of FOIA. A release determination will be made based on rationale given.
- (e) If you have questions or need help in using the Acquisition Center Home Page, call our Electronic Contracting Help Desk at (586) 574-7059, or send an email message to: acqcenweb@tacom.army.mil
- (f) If you have questions about the content of any specific item posted on our home page, please call the buyer or point of contact listed for the item. Additional help is available to small businesses from Government-funded Electronic Commerce Regional Centers (ECRCs) to implement EDI. Information on ECRC is available at http://www.ecrc.ctc.com

[End of Clause]

3 52.215-4854 PAPERLESS ELECTRONIC RESPONSES REQUIRED IN RESPONSE TO THIS JUL/2002 (TACOM) SOLICITATION/REQUEST

TACOM WILL NOT ACCEPT PAPER OFFERS IN RESPONSE TO THIS SOLICITATION/REQUEST. YOU ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT YOUR OFFER, BID, OR QUOTE VIA PAPERLESS ELECTRONIC MEDIA. SEE THE PROVISION ENTITLED "ELECTRONIC OFFERS (OR 'QUOTES' OR 'BIDS') REQUIRED IN RESPONSE TO THIS SOLICITATION (OR 'REQUEST FOR QUOTATIONS')" FOR MORE SPECIFIC INFORMATION.

[End of Clause]

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| | quantity. Part or all of it may, however, | | | | |
| | be added to the contract by exercise of the | | | | |
| | option clause, at the discretion of the Government. | | | | |
| | The failure of the offeror to insert a unit | | | | |
| | price applicable to the option quantity shall | | | | |
| | mean that the offeror will supply all or any | | | | |
| | part of the option, if exercised by the | | | | |
| | Government, at the basic contract unit price, | | | | |
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CONTRACT CLAUSES

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| 52.219-16 | LIQUIDATED DAMAGESSUBCONTRACTING PLAN | JAN/1999 |
| 52.222-19 | CHILD LABORCOOPERATION WITH AUTHORITIES AND REMEDIES | SEP/2002 |
| 52.229-4 | FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL TAXES (NONCOMPETITIVE CONTRACT) | JAN/1991 |
| 52.232-33 | PAYMENT BY ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFERCENTRAL CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION | MAY/1999 |
| 52.242-10 | F.O.B. ORIGINGOVERNMENT BILLS OF LADING OR PREPAID POSTAGE | APR/1984 |
| 52.246-2 | INSPECTION OF SUPPLIESFIXED PRICE | AUG/1996 |
| 52.247-1 | COMMERCIAL BILL OF LADING NOTATIONS the notation set forth in | APR/1984 |
| | paragraph (a) of the clause applies in this contract. The agency | |
| | name in line one of the notation shall read:US ARMY TANK-AUTOMOTIVE & | |
| | ARMAMENTS COMMAND | |
| 52.247-29 | F.O.B. ORIGIN | JUN/1988 |
| 52.247-58 | LOADING, BLOCKING, AND BRACING OF FREIGHT CAR SHIPMENTS | APR/1984 |
| 52.247-59 | F.O.B. ORIGIN - CARLOAD AND TRUCKLOAD SHIPMENTS | APR/1984 |
| 52.248-1 | VALUE ENGINEERING | FEB/2000 |
| 252.209-7004 | SUBCONTRACTING WITH FIRMS THAT ARE OWNED OR CONTROLLED BY THE | MAR/1998 |
| | GOVERNMENT OF A TERRORIST COUNTRY per DoD interim rule, Federal | |
| | Register 27 Mar 98 | |
| 252.211-7005 | SUBSTITUTIONS FOR MILITARY OR FEDERAL SPECIFICATIONS AND STANDARDS | FEB/2003 |
| 252.242-7003 | APPLICATION FOR U.S. GOVERNMENT SHIPPING DOCUMENTATION/INSTRUCTIONS | DEC/1991 |
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| 52.209-1 | QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS | FEB/1995 |
| | 52.219-16 52.222-19 52.229-4 52.232-33 52.242-10 52.246-2 52.247-1 52.247-58 52.247-59 52.247-59 52.248-1 252.209-7004 | 52.219-16 LIQUIDATED DAMAGESSUBCONTRACTING PLAN 52.222-19 CHILD LABORCOOPERATION WITH AUTHORITIES AND REMEDIES 52.229-4 FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL TAXES (NONCOMPETITIVE CONTRACT) 52.232-33 PAYMENT BY ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFERCENTRAL CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION 52.242-10 F.O.B. ORIGINGOVERNMENT BILLS OF LADING OR PREPAID POSTAGE 52.246-2 INSPECTION OF SUPPLIESFIXED PRICE 52.247-1 COMMERCIAL BILL OF LADING NOTATIONS the notation set forth in paragraph (a) of the clause applies in this contract. The agency name in line one of the notation shall read:US ARMY TANK-AUTOMOTIVE & ARMAMENTS COMMAND 52.247-29 F.O.B. ORIGIN 52.247-58 LOADING, BLOCKING, AND BRACING OF FREIGHT CAR SHIPMENTS 52.248-1 VALUE ENGINEERING 52.248-1 SUBCONTRACTING WITH FIRMS THAT ARE OWNED OR CONTROLLED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF A TERRORIST COUNTRY per DOD interim rule, Federal Register 27 Mar 98 522.211-7005 SUBSTITUTIONS FOR MILITARY OR FEDERAL SPECIFICATIONS AND STANDARDS 522.242-7003 APPLICATION FOR U.S. GOVERNMENT SHIPPING DOCUMENTATION/INSTRUCTIONS |

- (a) Definition: <u>Qualification requirement</u>, as used in this clause, means a Government requirement for testing or other quality assurance demonstration that must be completed before award.
- (b) One or more qualification requirements apply to the supplies or services covered by this contract. For those supplies or services requiring qualification, whether the covered product or service is an end item under this contract or simply a component of an end item, the product, manufacturer, or source must have demonstrated that it meets the standards prescribed for qualification before award of this contract. The product, manufacturer, or source must be qualified at the time of award whether or not the name of the product, manufacturer, or source is actually included on a qualified products list, qualified manufacturers list, or qualified bidders list. Offerors should contact the agency activity designated below to obtain all requirements that they or their products or services, or their subcontractors or their products or services, must satisfy to become qualified and to arrange for an opportunity to demonstrate their abilities to meet the standards specified for qualification.

(Name) SEE SUPPORTING ACTIVITY(IES) LISTED IN THE SPECIFICATION(S) (Address)

(c) If an offeror, manufacturer, source, product or service covered by a qualification requirement has already met the standards specified, the relevant information noted below should be provided.

| Offeror's Name | | |
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| Manufacturer's Name | | |
| Source's Name | | |
| Item Name | | |
| Service | | |
| Identification | Test Number | (to the extent known) |

- (d) Even though a product or service subject to a qualification requirement is not itself an end item under this contract, the product, manufacturer, or source must nevertheless be qualified at the time of award of this contract. This is necessary whether the Contractor or a subcontractor will ultimately provide the product or service in question. If, after award, the Contracting Officer discovers that an applicable qualification requirement was not in fact met at the time of award, the Contracting Officer may either terminate this contract for default or allow performance to continue if adequate consideration is offered and the action is determined to be otherwise in the Government's best interests.
- (e) If an offeror, manufacturer, source product or service has met the qualification requirement but is not yet on a qualified products list, qualified manufacturers list, or qualified bidders list, the offeror must submit evidence of qualification prior to award of this contract. Unless determined to be in the Government's interest, award of this contract shall not be delayed to permit an offeror to submit evidence of qualification.
 - (f) Any change in location or ownership of the plant where a previously qualified product or service was manufactured or performed

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requires reevaluation of the qualification. Similarly, any change in location or ownership of a previously qualified manufacturer or source requires reevaluation of the qualification. The reevaluation must be accomplished before the date of award.

[End of Clause]

16 52.212-5 CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS REQUIRED TO IMPLEMENT STATUES OR JUN/2003 EXECUTIVE ORDERS--COMMERCIAL ITEMS

(a) The Contractor shall comply with the following FAR clause, which is incorporated in this contract by reference, to implement provisions of law or executive orders applicable to acquisitions of commercial items:

52.233-3, Protest after Award (31 U.S.C 3553).

(b) The Contractor shall comply with the (following, checked) FAR clauses in this paragraph (b), which the contracting officer has indicated as being incorporated in this contract by reference to implement provisions of law or Executive orders applicable to

- acquisitions of commercial items: __(1) 52.203-6, Restrictions on Subcontractor Sales to the Government, with Alternate I (41 U.S.C. 253g and 10 U.S.C. 2402). ____(2) 52.219-3, Notice of Total HUBZone Small Business Set-Aside (Jan 1999). (3) 52.219-4, Notice of Price Evaluation Preference for HUBZone Small Business Concerns (Jan 1999) (if the offeror elects to waive the preference, it shall so indicate in its offer) _(4) (i) 52.219-5, Very Small Business Set-Aside (Pub. L. 103-403, section 304, Small Business Reauthorization and Amendments Act of 1994). (ii) Alternate I to 52.219-5. (iii) Alternate II to 52.219-5. (5)(i)52.219-6, Notice of Total Small Business Aside (June 2003)(15 U.S.C.644) (ii) Alternate I (Oct 1995) of 52.219-6. (6)(i) 52.219-7, Notice of Partial Small Business Set Aside (June 2003)(15 U.S.C. 644). (ii) Alternate I (Oct 1995) of 52.219-7. (7) 52.219-8, Utilization of Small Business Concerns (15 U.S.C. 637 (d)(2) and (3)). __(8) 52.219-9, Small Business Subcontracting Plan (15 U.S.C. 637(d)(4)) (ii) Alternate I of 52.219-9. (iii) Alternate II of 52.219-9. __(9) 52.219-14, Limitations on Subcontracting (15 U.S.C. 637(a)(14)). ___(10) (i) 52.219-23, Notice of Price Evaluation Adjustment for Small Disadvantaged Business Concerns (Pub. L. 103-355, section 7102, and 10 U.S.C. 2323) (if the offeror elects to waive the adjustment, it shall so indicate in its offer). (ii)_Alternate I of 52.219-23. _ (11) 52.219-25, Small Disadvantaged Business Participation Program--Disadvantaged Status and Reporting (Pub. L. 103-355, section 7102, and 10 U.S.C. 2323). (12) 52.219-26, Small Disadvantaged Business Participation Program--Incentive Subcontracting (Pub. L. 103-355, section 7102, and 10
- U.S.C. 2323).
 - (13) 52.222-3, Convict Labor (E.O. 11755)
- XX (14) 52.222-19, Child Labor-Cooperation with Authorities and Remedies (E.O.13126)
- XX___(15) 52.222-21, Prohibition of Segregated Facilities (Feb 1999)
- XX___(16) 52.222-26, Equal Opportunity (E.O. 11246)
- XX___(17) 52.222-35, Equal Opportunity for Special Disabled Veterans, Veterans of the Vietnam Era, and Other Eligible Veterans (38
- _(18) 52.222-36, Affirmative Action for Workers with Disabilities (29 U.S.C. 793).
- XX__ (19) 52.222-37, Employment Reports on Special Disabled Veterans, Veterans of the Vietnam Era, and Other Eligible Veterans (38 U.S.C. 4212).
- __(20) (i) 52.223-9, Estimate of Percentage of Recovered Material Content for EPA-Designated Products (42 U.S.C. 6962(c)(3)(A)(ii). (ii) Alternate I of 52.223-9 (42 U.S.C. 6962(i)(2)(C)).
- (21) 52.225-1, Buy American Act-Balance of Payments Program-Supplies (41 U.S.C. 10a-10d).
- (22)(i) 52.225-3, Buy American Act--North American Free Trade Agreement--Israeli Trade Act--Balance of Payments Program (41U.S.C. 10a-10d, 19 U.S.C. 3301 note, 19 U.S.C. 2112 note)
- (ii) Alternate I of 52.225-3.
 - (iii) Alternate II of 52.225-3.
- __(23) 52.225-5, Trade Agreements (19 U.S.C. 2501, et seq., 19 U.S.C. 3301 note).
- XX (24) 52.225-13, Restriction on Certain Foreign Purchases (E.O. 12722, 12724, 13059, 13067, 13121, and 13129).
- ___(25) 52.225-15, Sanctioned European Union Country End Products (E.O. 12849).
- ___(26) 52.225-16, Sanctioned European Union Country Services (E.O. 12849).
 - (27) 52.232-29, Terms for Financing of Purchases of Commercial Items (41 U.S.C. 255(f), 10 U.S.C. 2307(f)).

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- (28) 52.232-30, Installment Payments for Commercial Items(41 U.S.C. 255(f), 10 U.S.C. 2307(f)).
- XX (29) 52.232-33, Payment by Electronic Funds Transfer--Central Contractor Registration (31 U.S.C. 3332).
- __(30) 52.232-34, Payment by Electronic Funds Transfer--Other than Central Contractor Regisration (31 U.S.C. 3332).
- ____(31) 52.232-36, Payment by Third Party (31 U.S.C. 3332).
- ___(32) 52.239-1, Privacy or Security Safeguards (5 U.S.C. 552a).
- ___(33) (i) 52.247-64, Preference for Privately Owned U.S.-Flag Commercial Vessels (46 U.S.C. 1241).
 - (ii) Alternate I of 52.247-64.
- (c) The Contractor shall comply with the (following, checked) FAR clauses in this paragraph (c), applicable to commercial services, which the Contracting Officer has indicated as being incorporated in this contract by reference to implement provisions of law or executive orders applicable to acquisitions of commercial items:
- (1) 52.222-41, Service Contract Act of 1965, As Amended (41 U.S.C. 351, et seq.).
- ____(2) 52.222-42, Statement of Equivalent Rates for Federal Hires (29 U.S.C. 206 and 41 U.S.C. 351, et seq.).
- ____(3) 52.222-43, Fair Labor Standards Act and Service Contract Act--Price Adjustment (Multiple Year and Option Contracts) (29 U.S.C. 206 and 41 U.S.C. 351, et seq.).
- ____(4) 52.222-44, Fair Labor Standards Act and Service Contract Act--Price Adjustment (29 U.S.C. 206 and 41 U.S.C. 351, et seq.).
- ____(5) 52.222-47, SCA Minimum Wages and Fringe Benefits Applicable to Successor Contract Pursuant to Predecessor Contractor Collective Bargaining Agreement (CBA) (41 U.S.C. 351, et seq.).
- (d) Comptroller General Examination of Record. The Contractor agrees to comply with the provisions of this paragraph (d) if this contract was awarded using other than sealed bid, is in excess of the simplified acquisition threshold, and does not contain the clause at 52.215-2, Audit and Records--Negotiation.
- (1) The Comptroller General of the United States, or an authorized representative of the Comptroller General, shall have access to and right to examine any of the Contractor's directly pertinent records involving transactions related to this contract.
- (2) The Contractor shall make available at its offices at all reasonable times the records, materials, and other evidence for examination, audit, or reproduction, until 3 years after final payment under this contract or for any shorter period specified in FAR Subpart 4.7, Contractor Records Retention, of the other clauses of this contract. If this contract is completely or partially terminated, the records relating to the work terminated shall be made available for 3 years after any resulting final termination settlement. Records relating to appeals under the disputes clause or to litigation or the settlement of claims arising under or relating to this contract shall be made available until such appeals, litigation, or claims are finally resolved.
- (3) As used in this clause, records include books, documents, accounting procedures and practices, and other data, regardless of type and regardless of form. This does not require the Contractor to create or maintain any record that the Contractor does not maintain in the ordinary course of business or pursuant to a provision of law.

(e)

- (1) Notwithstanding the requirements of the clauses in paragraphs (a), (b), (c) or (d) of this clause, the Contractor is not required to flow down any FAR clause, other than those in paragraphs (i) through (vi) of this paragraph (and as may be required by an addenda to this paragraph to establish the reasonableness of prices under Part 15), in a subcontract for commercial items or commercial components. Unless otherwise indicated below, the extent of the flow down shall be as required by the clause--
- (i) 52.219-8, Utilization of Small Business Concerns (15 U.S.C. 637(d)(2) and (3)), in all subcontracts that offer further subcontracting opportunities. If the subcontract (except subcontracts to small business concerns) exceeds (\$500,000 (\$1,000,000 for construction of any public facility), the subcontractor must include 52.219-8 in lower tier subcontracts that offer subcontracting opportunities.
 - (ii) 52.222-26, Equal Opportunity (E.O. 11246);
 - (iii) 52.222-35, Equal Opportunity for Disabled Veterans, Veterans of the Vietnam Era, and Other Eligible Veterans (38 U.S.C. 4212);
 - (iv) 52.222-36, Affirmative Action for Workers with Disabilities (29 U.S.C. 793);
- (v) 52.222-41, Service Contract Act of 1965, As Amended, flow down required for all subcontracts subject to the Service Contract Act of 1965 (41 U.S.C. 351, et seq.).
- (vi) 52.247-64, Preference for Privately-Owned U.S. Flag Commercial Vessels (46 U.S.C. Appx 1241 and 10 U.S.C. 2631). Flow down required in accordance with paragraph (d) of FAR clause 52.247-64.
- (2) While not required, the contractor may include in its subcontrats for commercial items a minimal number of additional clasues necessary to satisfy its contractual obligations.

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(a) The Contractor agrees to comply with the following Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) clause which, if checked, is included

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in this contract by reference to implement a provision of law applicable to acquisitions of commercial items or components.) 52 203-3 Gratuities (APR 1984) (10 U.S.C. 2207) (b) The Contractor agrees to comply with any clause that is checked on the following list of DFARS clauses which, if checked, is included in this contract by reference to implement provisions of law of Executive orders applicable to acquisitions of commercial items or components. __252.205-7000 Provision of Information to Cooperative Agreement Holders (10 U.S.C. 2416). _252.206-7000 Domestic Source Restriction (10 U.S.C. 2304). ____252.219-7003 Small, Small Disadvantaged and Women-Owned Small Business Subcontracting Plan (DoD Contracts) (15 U.S.C. 637). 252.219-7004 Small, Small Disadvantaged and Women-Owned Small Business Subcontracting Plan (Test Program)(15 U.S.C. 637 note). __252.225-7001 Buy American Act and Balance of Payments Program (41 U.S.C. 10a-10d, E.O. 10582). _252.225-7012 Preference for Certain Domestic Commodities. _252.225-7014 Preference for Domestic Specialty Metals (10 U.S.C. 2533a). 252.225-7015 Preference for Domestic Hand or Measuring Tools (10 U.S.C. 2533a). _252.225-7016 Restriction on Acquisition of Ball and Roller Bearings (Section 8064 of Pub.L. 106-259). (Alternate I) 252.225-7021 Trade Agreements (19 U.S.C. 2501-2518 and 19 U.S.C. 3301 note). ____252.225-7027 Restriction on Contingent Fees for Foreign Military Sales (22 U.S.C. 2779). __252.225-7028 Exclusionary Policies and Practices of Foreign Governments (22 U.S.C. 2755). __252.225-7029 Preference for United States or Canadian Air Circuit Breakers (10 U.S.C.2534(a)(3)). 252.225-7036 Buy American Act--North American Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act--Balance of Payments Program (_ Alternate I)(41 U.S.C. 10a-10d and 19 U.S.C. 3301 note). _252.227-7015 Technical Data--Commercial Items (10 U.S.C. 2320). _252.227-7037 Validation of Restrictive Markings on Technical Data (10 U.S.C. 2321). ___252.243-7002 Requests for Equitable Adjustment (10 U.S.C. 2410). ___ 252.247-7023 Transportation of Supplies by Sea (10U.S.C. 2631) (_____Alternate I) (_____Alternate II) __252.247-7024 Notification of Transportation of Supplies by Sea (10 U.S.C. 2631). (c) In addition to the clauses listed in paragraph (e) of the Contract Terms and Conditions Required to Implement Statutes or Executive Orders--Commercial Items clause (FAR 52.212-5) of this contract, the Contractor shall include the terms of the following clauses, if applicable, in subcontracts for commercial items or commercial components, awarded at any tier under this contract: 252.225-7014 Preference for Domestic Specialty Metals, Alternate I (10 U.S.C. 2533a). 252.247-7023 Transportation of Supplies by Sea (10 U.S.C. 2631) 252.247-7024 Notification of Transportation of Supplies by Sea (10 U.S.C. 2631).

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(a) DEFINITIONS:

- (1) Engineering Change Proposal (ECP). An ECP is a suggestion that we (the Government) permanently change some requirement of the Technical Data Package (TDP). ECPs can be issued before or during contract performance. NOTE: The current Government Standard allows us ninety days to process routine ECPs. If you (the contractor) need a response in less than ninety days to meet contract requirements, you should consider submitting a deviation along with your ECP.
- (2) Request for Deviation (RFD). A RFD is a one-time request to deviate from TDP requirements. You must submit your deviation request before you deviate from the TDP requirements. You can request a deviation for a specific number of parts or the entire contract quantity.
 - (3) Value Engineering Change Proposal (VECP). A proposal that --
 - (i) Requires a change to the instant contract; and
- (ii) Results in reducing the overall projected cost to the agency without impairing essential functions or characteristics; provided, that it does not involve a change --
 - (A) In deliverable end item quantities only;
 - (B) In research and development (R&D) end items or R&D test quantities that is due solely to results of previous testing under this contract; or
 - (C) To the contract type only.
 - (4) Notice of Revision (NOR). A NOR describes the proposed changes to a technical document being requested by an ECP.
- (b) When will TACOM start processing change requests? TACOM won't start processing any ECP, VECP, or RFD until we receive the ACO's comments (see paragraph (e) below) and the ECP, VECP, or RFD documentation.
- (c) Contractor Responsibility. ECPs, VECPs, and RFD shall contain information per the instructions outlined on the Data Delivery Descriptions (DDDs) which can be found at the following website: http://contracting.tacom.army.mil/engr/engrchange.htm. Forms for preparing an ECP, VECP, or a RFD can also be found at this website. You may use other media, as long as you give us all the information outlined in the DDDs.
 - (1) Identify the two-digit Weapon System Code (WSC) on your submittal. The WSC for this procurement is NR.
- (2) The Contractor shall submit ECPs/VECPs/RFDs to the Government electronically. You must use one of the following electronic mediums: 100 megabyte Zip*-disk, 3 1/2 inch disk, 650 megabyte CD ROM, or E-mail. (E-mail files must be sized 3.5 mb or less.) Identify the software application, and version, that you used to create each file submitted.
- (3) ECPs/VECPs/RFDs submitted in paper form are unacceptable and will be returned. You must use one of the following electronic formats:
- (i) Files readable using these Microsoft 97 Office Products: Word, Excel, PowerPoint, or Access. Spreadsheets must be sent in a file format that includes all formulae, macro and format information. Print image is not acceptable.
 - (ii) Files in Adobe PDF (Portable Document Format).
- (iii) Files in HTML (Hypertext Markup Language). HTML documents must not contain active links to live Internet sites or pages. All linked information must be contained within your electronic ECPs/VECPs/RFDs and be accessible offline.
- (iv) Other electronic formats. Before preparing your ECPs, VECPs or RFDs in any other electronic format, please e-mail the engineer, copy-furnished to the buyer and ACO, to obtain a decision as to the format's acceptability. Failure to e-mail the engineer to seek an alternate format's acceptability may result in rejection of your submission. All alternate methods must be at no cost to the Government. NOTE: The above formats may be submitted in compressed form using self-extracting files.
 - (d) Submittal Procedures for ECPs/VECPs/RFDs.
 - (1) Send one copy of the ECP, VECP or RFD in electronic format to your ACO.
 - (2) Send one copy of the ECP, VECP or RFD in electronic format to the buyer listed on the solicitation/ contract document.

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WARNING - Submit complete, legible, virus free packages per paragraphs 1 and 2 above, or we may return your ECP/VECP/RFD without processing them.

(e) ACO Responsibility. Within ten working days from the day you receive the contractor's request, the ACO must prepare Comments on the ECP, VECP, or RFD in electronic format, and forward it as follows:

ECPs, VECPs, and RFDs. Email a copy of the contractor's request and ACO comments (DD Form 1998) to the engineer scholter@tacom.army.mil and the buyer identified in block 7 of the solicitation cover sheet (SF 33), block 5 on the Standard Form 26, or block 6 on the DD Form 1155

(f) Approval of ECPs, VECPs and RFDs.

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- (1) ECPs should be used to make permanent changes in the Government Technical Data Package (TDP). Contractual relief should be requested using a Request for Deviation. This is because the Government requires more time to analyze any proposal to permanently change the specification or TDP. Cost saving improvements to the TDP should be submitted as a VECP, if a VE clause is contained in the
- (2) ECPs. TACOM will review and make a decision within the ninety day timeframe. Notification of our decision will be made by the contracting officer or representative.
 - (3) RFDs. Decision on RFDs will be made within 30 days from the date we receive them from the ACO.
- (g) Processing Emergency and Urgent ECPs. Ordinarily, ECPs submitted by the contractor will be deemed routine. If you submit an ECP that you consider to be an emergency or urgent (as defined in paragraph 11 of DDD for ECPs), you must immediately notify the PCO. TACOM will review the criticality of the ECP, and, if we determine that it is urgent or critical, we'll follow the appropriate processing time-frames as outlined in paragraph 11 of the DDD for ECPs.
- (h) Reminder Only the PCO can change the Contract. NO OTHER GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVE is authorized to make a commitment for, or bind the Government.
 - (i) RFDs shall contain sufficient pricing data to determine if a downward equitable adjustment to the contract is required.
 - (j) Questions.
- (1) Questions about preparation and submittal of change request should be directed to the Government Quality Assurance Representative (QAR).
- (2) Questions about the status of change requests you've already submitted, contact the buyer. You can find the buyer's name, number and e-mail address in block 7 of the solicitation cover sheet (SF 33), block 5 on the Standard Form 26, or block 6 on the DD Form 1155.

[End of Clause]

19 52 211-4053 REQUIRED TAILORING LANGUAGE TO ELIMINATE CLASS I OZONE-DEPLETING MAR/2000 SUBSTANCES (TACOM)

- (a) The purchase description or Technical Data Package (TDP) for this purchase order incorporates one or more specifications or standards that, in their unmodified form, either authorize or require the use of Class I Ozone-Depleting Substances (CIODS). For purposes of your performance on this purchase order, those specifications (which are identified in paragraph (b) of this clause) are modified by special tailoring language which appears in the TACOM Acquisition Center's web-site. Directions for reaching our web-site and locating the required tailoring language appear in paragraph (c) of this clause.
- (b) Tailoring language to eliminate the authorization or requirement to use Class I Ozone-Depleting Substances (CIODS) is hereby incorporated into this contract by reference. Packaging Specifications MIL-L-61002 and MIL-STD-129, where they apply, are affected by this tailoring language. Other specifications and standards affected are: NA.
- (c) The CIODS listing that contains the required tailoring language is on the TACOM Acquisition Center web-site, which you can reach by using this URL: http://contracting.tacom.army.mil/ciods.html

[End of Clause]

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- (a) The Government hereby reserves the right to increase the quantity of the contract item up to an additional quantity of 25 units. The unit price for such option quantity shall be as set forth in CLIN 0002AA. This option may be exercised by the Government at any time, but in any event not later than 365 days after AWARD. In addition, such option may be exercised in increments, subject to the stated total additional quantity limitations, price(s), and the above-stated time for exercise of the option.
- (b) Delivery of the items added by the exercise of this option shall continue immediately after, and at the same rate as, delivery of like items called for under this contract, unless the parties hereto otherwise agree.
- (c) Additionally, prior to the expiration of the original option period identified in paragraph (a) above, the Government may seek a bilateral extension of the option period for an additional period not to exceed 90 days from the expiration date of the original option period.

[End of Clause]

- 21 52.242-4022 DELIVERY SCHEDULE MAY/2000 (TACOM)
- (a) The following delivery schedule applies to this procurement:
- (1) See the Government's proposed schedule in Section B. Start deliveries 150 days after the date of award. Continue delivering every thirty (30) days, if necessary, until all items are delivered.
 - (2) You can accelerate delivery: at no additional cost to the government
 - (3) Delivery is defined as follows:
- (i) FOB Origin Contractor is required to deliver its shipment as provided in FAR 52.247-29(a)(1)-(4) by the time specified in the individual order.
- (ii) FOB Destination Contractor is required to deliver its shipment as provided in FAR 52.247-34(a)(1)-(2) by the time specified in the individual order. The contractor must take into consideration the length of time necessary to deliver its shipment to the destination designated in the order, to ensure that the item reaches its destination by the time reflected in the order.
 - (b) CONTRACTOR'S PROPOSED SCHEDULE:
 - (1) I WILL START DELIVERIES ____ DAYS AFTER THE AWARD DATE.
- (2) I WILL DELIVER A QUANTITY OF _____ UNITS EVERY 30 DAYS, BUT I HAVE THE CAPABILITY TO DELIVER UP TO A MAXIMUM OF _____ UNITS EVERY 30 DAYS.

ATTENTION: IF YOU DO NOT INSERT A MAXIMUM QUANTITY ABOVE, YOU MAY BE REQUIRED TO DELIVER THE TOTAL QUANTITY ON THIS ORDER IN ONE SHIPMENT.

[End of Clause]

22 52.246-4053 USE OF MIL-STD 1916 JAN/2001 (TACOM)

The Government will not accept lots whose samples submitted for acceptance contain nonconformances unless appropriately documented and approved by the contracting officer. The contractor shall use MIL-STD- 1916, DOD Preferred Methods of Acceptance of Product. The Verification Level (VL) shall be VL IV for major characteristics and VL II for minor characteristics. MIL-HDBK-1916 provides guidance on the use of MIL-STD 1916. This handbook is not contractually binding.

[End of Clause]

- 23 52.211-16 VARIATION IN QUANTITY APR/1984
- (a) A variation in the quantity of any item called for by this contract will not be accepted unless the variation has been caused by conditions of loading, shipping, or packing, or allowances in manufacturing processes, and then only to the extent, if any, specified in paragraph (b) below.
 - (b) The permissible variation shall be limited to:

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ZERO percent increase; and ZERO percent decrease.

This increase or decrease shall apply to THE TOTAL CONTRACTUAL QUANTITY.

(End of clause)

24 52.212-4

CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS -- COMMERCIAL ITEMS

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- (a) Inspection/Acceptance. The Contractor shall only tender for acceptance those items that conform to the requirements of this contract. The Government reserves the right to inspect or test any supplies or services that have been tendered for acceptance. The Government may require repair or replacement of nonconforming supplies or reperformance of nonconforming services at no increase in contract price. The Government must exercise its post-acceptance rights --
 - (1) Within a reasonable time after the defect was discovered or should have been discovered; and
 - (2) Before any substantial change occurs in the condition of the item, unless the change is due to the defect in the item.
- (b) Assignment. The Contractor or its assignee may assign its rights to receive payment due as a result of performance of this contract to a bank, trust company, or other financing institution, including any Federal lending agency in accordance with the Assignment of Claims Act (31 U.S.C.3727). However, when a third party makes payment (e.g., use of the Governmentwide commercial purchase card), the Contractor may not assign its rights to receive payment under this contract.
- (c) Changes. Changes in the terms and conditions of this contract may be made only by written agreement of the parties.
- (d) Disputes. This contract is subject to the Contract Disputes Act of 1978, as amended (41 U.S.C. 601-613). Failure of the parties to this contract to reach agreement on any request for equitable adjustment, claim, appeal or action arising under or relating to this contract shall be a dispute to be resolved in accordance with the clause at FAR 52.233-1, Disputes, which is incorporated herein by reference. The Contractor shall proceed diligently with performance of this contract, pending final resolution of any dispute arising under the contract.
- (e) Definitions. The clause at FAR 52.202-1, Definitions, is incorporated herein by reference.
- (f) Excusable delays. The Contractor shall be liable for default unless nonperformance is caused by an occurrence beyond the reasonable control of the Contractor and without its fault or negligence such as, acts of God or the public enemy, acts of the Government in either its sovereign or contractual capacity, fires, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, strikes, unusually severe weather, and delays of common carriers. The Contractor shall notify the Contracting Officer in writing as soon as it is reasonably possible after the commencement of any excusable delay, setting forth the full particulars in connection therewith, shall remedy such occurrence with all reasonable dispatch, and shall promptly give written notice to the Contracting Officer of the cessation of such occurrence.
 - (1) The Contractor shall submit an original invoice and three copies (or electronic invoice, if authorized) to the address designated in the contract to receive invoices. An invoice must include --
 - (i) Name and address of the Contractor;
 - (ii) Invoice date and number;
 - (iii) Contract number, contract line item number and, if applicable, the order number;
 - (iv) Description, quantity, unit of measure, unit price and extended price of the items delivered;
 - (v) Shipping number and date of shipment, including the bill of lading number and weight of shipment if shipped on Government bill of lading;
 - (vi) Terms of any discount for prompt payment offered;
 - (vii) Name and address of official to whom payment is to be sent;
 - (viii) Name, title, and phone number of person to notify in event of defective invoice; and
 - (ix) Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN). The Contractor shall include its TIN on the invoice only if required elsewhere in this contract.
 - (x) Electronic funds transfer (EFT) banking information.
 - (A) The Contractor shall include EFT banking information on the invoice only if required elsewhere in this contract.
 - (B) If EFT banking information is not required to be on the invoice, in order for the invoice to be a proper invoice, the Contractor shall have submitted correct EFT banking information in accordance with the applicable solicitation provision, contract clause (e.g., 52.232-33, Payment by Electronic Funds Transfer -- Central Contractor Registration, or 52.232-34, Payment by Electronic Funds Transfer -- Other Than Central Contractor Registration), or applicable agency procedures.
 - (C) EFT banking information is not required if the Government waived the requirement to pay by EFT.
- (2) Invoices will be handled in accordance with the Prompt Payment Act (31 U.S.C.3903) and Office of Management and Budget (OMB) prompt payment regulations at 5 CFR part 1315.
- (h) Patent indemnity. The Contractor shall indemnify the Government and its officers, employees and agents against liability, including costs, for actual or alleged direct or contributory infringement of, or inducement to infringe, any United States or foreign patent, trademark or copyright, arising out of the performance of this contract, provided the Contractor is reasonably notified of such claims and proceedings.
- (i) Payment. Payment shall be made for items accepted by the Government that have been delivered to the delivery destinations set forth in this contract. The Government will make payment in accordance with the Prompt Payment Act (31 U.S.C.3903) and OMB prompt payment regulations at 5 CFR part 1315. If the Government makes payment by Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT), see 52.212-5 for the appropriate EFT clause. In connection with any discount offered for early payment, time shall be computed from the date of the invoice. For the purpose of computing the discount earned, payment shall be considered to have been made on the date which appears on the payment check or the specified payment date if an electronic funds transfer payment is made.
- (j) Risk of loss. Unless the contract specifically provides otherwise, risk of loss or damage to the supplies provided under this

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contract shall remain with the Contractor until, and shall pass to the Government upon:

- (1) Delivery of the supplies to a carrier, if transportation is f.o.b. origin; or
- (2) Delivery of the supplies to the Government at the destination specified in the contract, if transportation is f.o.b. destination.
- (k) Taxes. The contract price includes all applicable Federal, State, and local taxes and duties.
- (1) Termination for the Government's convenience. The Government reserves the right to terminate this contract, or any part hereof, for its sole convenience. In the event of such termination, the Contractor shall immediately stop all work hereunder and shall immediately cause any and all of its suppliers and subcontractors to cease work. Subject to the terms of this contract, the Contractor shall be paid a percentage of the contract price reflecting the percentage of the work performed prior to the notice of termination, plus reasonable charges the Contractor can demonstrate to the satisfaction of the Government using its standard record keeping system, have resulted from the termination. The Contractor shall not be required to comply with the cost accounting standards or contract cost principles for this purpose. This paragraph does not give the Government any right to audit the Contractor's records. The Contractor shall not be paid for any work performed or costs incurred which reasonably could have been avoided.
- (m) Termination for cause. The Government may terminate this contract, or any part hereof, for cause in the event of any default by the Contractor, or if the Contractor fails to comply with any contract terms and conditions, or fails to provide the Government, upon request, with adequate assurances of future performance. In the event of termination for cause, the Government shall not be liable to the Contractor for any amount for supplies or services not accepted, and the Contractor shall be liable to the Government for any and all rights and remedies provided by law. If it is determined that the Government improperly terminated this contract for default, such termination shall be deemed a termination for convenience.
- (n) Title. Unless specified elsewhere in this contract, title to items furnished under this contract shall pass to the Government upon acceptance, regardless of when or where the Government takes physical possession.
- (o) Warranty. The Contractor warrants and implies that the items delivered hereunder are merchantable and fit for use for the particular purpose described in this contract.
- (p) Limitation of liability. Except as otherwise provided by an express warranty, the Contractor will not be liable to the Government for consequential damages resulting from any defect or deficiencies in accepted items.
- (q) Other compliances. The Contractor shall comply with all applicable Federal, State and local laws, executive orders, rules and regulations applicable to its performance under this contract.
- (r) Compliance with laws unique to Government contracts. The Contractor agrees to comply with 31 U.S.C. 1352 relating to limitations on the use of appropriated funds to influence certain Federal contracts; 18 U.S.C. 431 relating to officials not to benefit; 40 U.S.C. 327, et seq., Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act; 41 U.S.C. 51-58, Anti-Kickback Act of 1986; 41 U.S.C. 265 and 10 U.S.C. 2409 relating to whistleblower protections; 49 U.S.C. 40118, Fly American; and 41 U.S.C. 423 relating to procurement integrity.
- (s) Order of precedence. Any inconsistencies in this solicitation or contract shall be resolved by giving precedence in the following order:
 - (1) The schedule of supplies/services.
 - (2) The Assignments, Disputes, Payments, Invoice, Other Compliances, and Compliance with Laws Unique to Government Contracts paragraphs of this clause.
 - (3) The clause at 52.212-5.
 - (4) Addenda to this solicitation or contract, including any license agreements for computer software.
 - (5) Solicitation provisions if this is a solicitation.
 - (6) Other paragraphs of this clause.
 - (7) The Standard Form 1449.
 - (8) Other documents, exhibits, and attachments.
 - (9) The specification.

(End of Clause)

25 252.204-7004 REQUIRED CENTRAL CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION

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- (a) Definitions. As used in this clause--
- (1) <u>Central Contractor Registration (CCR) database</u> means the primary DoD repository for contractor information required for the conduct of business with DoD.
- (2) <u>Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS) number</u> means the 9-digit number assigned by Dun and Bradstreet Information Services to identify unique business entities.
- (3) <u>Data Universal Numbering System +4 (DUNS+4) number</u> means the DUNS number assigned by Dun and Bradstreet plus a 4-digit suffix that may be assigned by a parent (controlling) business concern. This 4-digit suffix may be assigned at the discretion of the parent business concern for such purposes as identifying subunits or affiliates of the parent business concern.
 - (4) Registered in the CCR database means that all mandatory information, including the DUNS number or the DUNS+4 number, if

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applicable, and the corresponding Commercial and Government Entity (CAGE) code, is in the CCR database; the DUNS number and the CAGE code have been validated; and all edits have been successfully completed.

(b

- (1) By submission of an offer, the offeror acknowledges the requirement that a prospective awardee must be registered in the CCR database prior to award, during performance, and through final payment of any contract resulting from this solicitation, except for awards to foreign vendors for work to be performed outside the United States.
- (2) The offeror shall provide its DUNS or, if applicable, its DUNS+4 number with its offer, which will be used by the Contracting Officer to verify that the offeror is registered in the CCR database.
 - (3) Lack of registration in the CCR database will make an offeror ineligible for award.
- (4) DOD has established a goal of registering an applicant in the CCR database within 48 hours after receipt of a complete and accurate application via the Internet. However, registration of an applicant submitting an application through a method other than the Internet may take up to 30 days. Therefore, offerors that are not registered should consider applying for registration immediately upon receipt of this solicitation.
- (c) The Contractor is responsible for the accuracy and completeness of the data within the CCR, and for any liability resulting from the Government's reliance on inaccurate or incomplete data. To remain registered in the CCR database after the initial registration, the Contractor is required to confirm on an annual basis that its information in the CCR database is accurate and complete.
- (d) Offerors and contractors may obtain information on registration and annual confirmation requirements by calling 1-888-227-2423, or via the Internet at http://www.ccr.gov.

[End of Clause]

26 252.246-7000 MATERIAL

MATERIAL INSPECTION AND RECEIVING REPORT

- (a) At the time of each delivery of supplies or services under this contract, the Contractor shall prepare and furnish to the Government a material inspection and receiving report in the manner and to the extent required by Appendix F, Material Inspection and Receiving Report, of the Defense FAR Supplement.
- (b) Contractor submission of the material inspection and receiving information required by Appendix F of the Defense FAR Supplement by using the Wide Area WorkFlow-Receipt and Acceptance (WAWF-RA) electronic form (see paragraph (b)(1) of the clause at 252.232-7003) fulfills the requirement for a material inspection and receiving report (DD Form 250).

(End of clause)

e)

27 52.204-4005 (TACOM) REQUIRED USE OF ELECTRONIC CONTRACTING

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- (a) All contract awards, modifications and delivery orders issued by TACOM will be issued electronically. The contractor has the option to receive these actions either via the Worldwide Web (WWW) or Electronic Data Interchange (EDI). Many provisions/clauses that appear "by reference", meaning only clause titles and regulation site are listed; their full texts can be found at the website http://farsite.hill.af.mil/
- (b) In order to be eligible to receive an award under this solicitation, the successful offeror must be registered with the Department of Defense (DOD) Central Contractor Registration (CCR). The CCR registration process may be done electronically at the World Wide Web (WWW) site: http://www.ccr2000.com . (In order to be registered to use EDI, you must use the long form for registration. Certification information, including information on the EDI 838 TPP, must be furnished to the Contracting Officer within 60 calendar days after contract award to complete networking requirements within the Government.)
- (c) Worldwide Web Distribution. The contractor will receive an electronic Notice of the Award, Modification, or Delivery Order via e-mail. If you choose the WWW option, you must download the file from the appropriate TACOM webpage:

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Rock Island: http://aais.ria.army.mil/AAIS/AWDINFO/index.htm Picatinny: http://procnet.pica.army.mil/Contracts/Index.htm

Red River Army Depot: http://www.redriver.army.mil/contracting/Awards

Anniston Army Depot: http://www.anadprocnet.army.mil

- (d) Electronic Data Interchange. If you choose to receive contract awards, modifications and delivery orders through EDI, they will be delivered electronically via the Federal Acquisition Network (FACNET). Federal Standard Version 3050 of Standard X12 from the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) will be used as the format for these electronic transactions.
- (1) You must complete the EDI 838 Trading Partner Profile, and must agree (i) to subcontract with a DoD certified VAN or Value Added Service (VAS) provider, or (ii) to become DoD certified as a Value Added Network (VAN). The EDI 838 Training Partner Profile is contained in the basic CCR registration form and includes portions of the registration form which are titled "Optional".
- (2) You must select a VAN from the official DoD approved list. DoD Certified VANs are listed at http://www.acq.osd.mil/ec/ecip/index.htm . If your VAN is later removed from the official list, or if you voluntarily drop your initially selected VAN, then you must switch to a VAN that remains on the official DoD approved list. You must maintain an active account on a DoD approved VAN for the entire duration of the contract, beginning no later than the 60th day after award.
- (e) Unless otherwise specified elsewhere in the contract, all data items you are required to provide under this contract must be submitted electronically. Acceptable formats include:
 - (1) Microsoft* 97 Office Products (TACOM can currently read OFFICE 97* and lower.): Word, Excel, Powerpoint, or Access
 - (2) 100 OR 250 MEGABYTE ZIP*-DISK, 3 1/2 INCH DISK, OR 650 MEGABYTE CD ROM
 - (3) E-MAIL (Maximum size of each e-mail message is be three and one-half (3.5) megabytes).
- (4) Other electronic formats. Before submitting your data in any other electronic format, please e-mail the buyer identified on the face of the contract, with e-mail copy-furnished to amsta-idq@tacom.army.mil, to obtain a decision as to the format's acceptability. This e-mail must be received by the buyer not later than ten calendar days before the required data submission date.

NOTE: The above formats may be submitted in compressed form using self-extracting files.

(f) Additional information can be obtained by sending a message to: acqcenweb@tacom.army.mil or by calling (586) 574-7059.

[End of Clause]

28 52.204-4009 MANDATORY USE OF CONTRACTOR TO GOVERNMENT ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATION JUN/1999 (TACOM)

- (a) All references in the contract to the submission of written documentation shall mean electronic submission. All electronic submissions shall be in the formats and media described in the "Electronic Quotations/Offers/Bids Required in Response to this Request for Quotations/Proposals/Bids" clause elsewhere in this document. (See Section K for commercial acquisitions, Section L for RFPs, and Section I for RFQs.)
- (b) This shall include all written unclassified communications between the Government and the Contractor except contract awards and contract modifications which shall be posted on the internet. Return receipt shall be used if a commercial application is available. Classified information shall be handled in full accordance with the appropriate security requirements.
- (c) In order to be contractually binding, all Government communications requiring a Contracting Officer signature must be sent from the Contracting Officer's e-mail address. The Contractor shall designate the personnel with signature authority who can contractually bind the contractor. All binding contractor communication shall be sent from this contractor e-mail address(es).
- (d) Upon award, the Contractor shall provide the Contracting Officer with a list of e-mail addresses for all administrative and technical personnel assigned to this contract.
- (e) Unless exempted by the Procuring Contracting Officer in writing, all unclassified written communication after contract award shall be transmitted electronically.

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29 52.211-4010 (TACOM)

ACQUISITION OF MAUFACTURER'S PART NUMBER: COMPONENTS

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One or more of the drawings for part of the contract item set forth in the Schedule and in the Technical Data Package specify manufacturer's part numbers. Since complete Government technical data for such part or parts are not available, it is understood that the Contractor, by accepting this contract, agrees to furnish only the listed manufacturer's part number(s) for those components of the contract item, except as provided in the provision entitled NOTICE REGARDING "SOURCE-CONTROLLED" COMPONENTS located elsewhere herein. It is further understood and agreed that references to manufacturer's part numbers herein shall be deemed to include all changes or revisions thereto which the approved manufacturer has made effective as of the first date of delivery of any of the items under this contract; provided, that no change or revision that affects the interchangeability (ability to be interchanged with previous parts and to match with all mating parts when assembled) of the listed manufacturer's part shall be incorporated into the contract item without the prior written approval of the Procuring Contracting Officer.

[End of Clause]

30 52.211-4016 TT-C-490, TYPE I, ZINC PHOSPHATE PRETREATMENT SYSTEMS FOR CARC OCT/2002 (TACOM)

- (a) If the technical data package requires the use of a TT-C-490, Type I, pretreatment system, the process including primer application must be approved by the procuring activity prior to use. All approved facilities have been provided a letter of system approval which identifies the specific phosphate chemical system and the limitations/exceptions authorized. These approval letters must be dated no later than January 1989. Letters of approval which do not identify the chemical system are limited to approval on a specific contract only and do not have carte blanc approval. Approvals are substrate specific. The default qualification is low carbon steel. Heat treated, low alloy steel and galvanized steels require special qualification.
- (b) Any zinc phosphate application facility requesting approval must submit the procedure to TACOM, ATTN: AMSTA-TR-E/267 for review at least 35 days before planned start-up. The procedure must identify the prime contractor and the contract number. The procedure must contain all the elements required per paragraph 3.2 of TT-C-490. A qualification audit will be arranged with the facility. The facility must demonstrate its ability to perform all required process control tests and operate successfully within its designated operating parameters.
- (c) If the contractor cannot find a capable facility within his area, a list of TACOM approved facilities is available at http://contracting.tacom.army.mil/engr/englhtm These facilities are capable of meeting the performance requirements in the specification.
- (d) For all TT-C-490, Type I facilities, the sentence "Sampling may then be reduced to one sample twice per week" in paragraph 4.2.8 of TT-C-490 is deleted and replaced with the following " Sampling for production control is required with the testing of two phosphated and primed specimens per month for each solvent-borne primer used and two specimens every two months for electrocoat primers".

[End of Clause]

31 52.211-4030 SPECIAL TESTING REQUIREMENTS FOR CHEMICAL AGENT RESISTANT COATINGS MAR/2001 (TACOM) (CARC) ON METALLIC SURFACES

(a) <u>Application</u>: MIL-C-46168 MIL-C-53039 MIL-PRF-22750

(b) <u>End-Item Paint Inspection</u>: After the complete paint finish has been applied and cured* (See *Note, below), the Contractor shall test and inspect two units per lot for (i) workmanship, (ii) total paint film thickness, and (iii) paint adhesion. Unless otherwise agreed to between the Contractor and the cognizant Government quality assurance representative, a <u>lot</u> shall be defined as all units submitted for final Government acceptance at one time. The use of test panels in lieu of actual production units is prohibited. At final inspection, the cumulative total paint film thickness of pretreatment, primer, and topcoat shall at a minimum conform to the sum of the minimum thicknesses for individual elements of the paint finish as specified in the Film Thickness Table below. Sufficient locations shall be spot-checked to ensure proper workmanship and paint thickness uniformity. The size and configuration of the unit as well as the number of vendors responsible for the paint finish of component parts shall be taken into consideration in determining the number of locations to be checked. The specific number of test locations shall be agreed to by the cognizant Government quality assurance representative in advance. In addition, two locations on each sample unit shall be selected to conduct the scribe tape test. The test locations shall be routinely varied among the following:

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- (2) On or directly adjacent to a machine cut or sheared edge.
- (3) On any mechanically formed surface when lubricants/drawing compounds were used.
- (4) On paint touch-up areas.
- (c) The precise location for each scribe tape test shall be in an inconspicuous location that has been accepted by the cognizant Government quality assurance representative before the test is conducted.
- (d) Upon completion of the scribe tape test, the scribe marks shall be feathered into the adjacent area and touched up with the required top coat so that the tested area again conforms to the applicable minimum specified in the Film Thickness Table below.
- *Note: The complete paint finish is defined as the pretreatment, primer, and topcoat applied to the substrate. Curing of the complete paint finish is dependent upon temperature, humidity, and paint film thickness. The time necessary to achieve sufficient adhesion to pass the scribe tape test must be determined by each facility. For purposes of this test, curing at ambient temperature will take from 24 days.

(e) <u>Test Methods</u>:

- (1) <u>Film Thickness</u>. Film thickness shall be verified with a nondestructive film gage. The gage shall be suitable for measurements over the applicable substrate material and shall have sufficient accuracy to ensure compliance to the thickness limitations. The gage shall be capable of being calibrated. If no other calibration specification or requirement is identified elsewhere in this contract, then the gage shall be calibrated in accordance with ISO 10012.
- (2) <u>Scribe Tape Test</u>. The following test procedure shall be followed. The test surface shall be sufficiently warm and dry to ensure adhesion of the tape. All dimensions cited in this Scribe Tape Test description are approximate:
- (i) Scribe four one-inch lines completely through the paint finish to the substrate, one sixteenth to three thirty-seconds of an inch apart.
- (ii) Scribe four additional one-inch lines, completely through the paint finish, one sixteenth to three thirty-seconds of an inch apart, rotated 90 degrees with respect to the first set of lines. The resulting pattern shall contain nine squares.
- (iii) Press a length of A-A-1830, A-A-884, or any commercially available tape with a minimum adhesion rating of 45 oz. per inch of width firmly over the scribed pattern, rubbing out all air pockets.
- (iv) Wait 10 seconds, minimum. Grasp a free end of the tape and at a rapid speed strip it from the paint surface by pulling the tape back upon itself at 180 degrees.

(f) <u>Interpretation of Test Results</u>

NOTE: These two tests are not a substitute for corrosion tests such as neutral salt spray or accelerated corrosion tests which verify coating durability.

(1) Film Thickness. All applicable surfaces shall have complete paint coverage. A minimum of 75% of the applicable surfaces of each test unit shall meet the minimum, cumulative dry film thickness requirements. Failure of either test unit shall result in rejection of the production lot that it represents.

FILM THICKNESS TABLE

| SPECIFICATION | DRY FILM THICKNESS (Mils) |
|---------------|---------------------------|
| DOD-P-15328* | 0.3 - 0.5 |
| MIL-PRF-23377 | 1.0 - 1.5 |
| MIL-P-53022 | 1.0 - 1.5 |
| MIL-PRF-22750 | 1.3 - 1.7 |
| MIL-P-53030 | 1.0 - 1.5 |
| MIL-C-46168 | 1.8 - 3.2 |
| MIL-C-53039 | 1.8 - 3.2 |

^{*}May not be allowed per contract due to VOC and hexavalent chromium content.

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(2) Scribe Tape Test (Adhesion). The removal of two or more complete squares of top coat, or top coat-primer-pretreatment coating, from either test unit constitutes test failure and the production lot from which it comes is rejected. Removal of overspray does not constitute test failure.

Notice: The scribe tape test is designed to detect any deficiency in the paint application process that would affect the durability of the CARC finish. Typical causes of failure are:

- (i) Inadequate cleaning of the substrate.
- (ii) Contamination of the surface between coatings.
- (iii) Excessive paint film thickness in a single coating application.
- (iv) Application of a coating over a previous coating which has not been adequately cured.

It is strongly recommended that the Contractor implement rigid in-process controls in conjunction with the best industrial painting practices to ensure that the performance requirements specified in this clause are met.

[End of Clause]

32 52.211-4036 FORMAT OF THE TECHNICAL DATA PACKAGE (TACOM)

APR/2000

- (a) The TDP for the contract item is available only in electronic format via the TACOM Contracting Webpage (contracting.tacom.army.mil). TACOM-Warren has discontinued its practice of providing hard copies (i.e. CD ROM) of technical data packages (TDPs). You must obtain a copy of the TDP for this solicitation via the TACOM Contracting Webpage. For those TDPs not available via the webpage, the TDP will be issued free of charge in CD-ROM format. The CD-ROM includes the necessary software to access, view, and print individual images that are included in the TDP. The CD-ROM can be read in any personal computer that includes a CD-ROM drive. If your company does not have a personal computer with a CD-ROM drive, you can take the CD-ROM disk to any of various commercial computing or copying/printing service, to have hard copies produced.
- (b) TDPs available via the TACOM Contracting Webpage may be purchased in CD ROM format for a fee of \$4.60 each. Requests for CD ROMs and payment should be mailed to:

USATACOM AMSTA-CM-CDD (TDP Requests) Warren, MI 48397-5000

Make checks payable to the United States Treasury. Points of Contact for this initiative: Gerri Mackey and Diane Woods at (586) 574-7061, and Gloria McCullough at (586) 574-7064.

[End of Provision]

52.211-4047 NOTICE TO OFFERORS INTENDING TO OFFER OTHER THAN NEW MATERIAL APR/2000 (TACOM) (NEGOTIATED)

(a) We intend to acquire only new material. Unless this contract otherwise requires virgin material or supplies composed of, or manufactured from, virgin material, the contractor shall provide supplies that are new, as defined in this clause.

(b) Definitions:

- (1) "New" means composed of previously unused components, whether manufactured from virgin material, recovered material in the form of raw material, or materials and by-products generated from, and reused within, an original manufacturing process; provided that the supplies meet contract requirements, including but not limited to, performance, reliability, and life expectancy.
 - (2) "Reconditioned" means restored to the original normal operating condition by readjustments and material replacement.
- (3) "Recovered material" means waste materials and by-products that have been recovered or diverted from solid waste including post-consumer material, but such term does not include those materials and by-products generated from, and commonly reused within, an original manufacturing process.

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- (4) "Remanufactured" means factory rebuilt to original specifications.
- (5) "Virgin material" means previously unused raw material, including previously unused copper, aluminum, lead, zinc, iron, other metal or metal ore, or any undeveloped resource that is, or with new technology will become, a source of raw materials
 - (6) "Residual Inventory" means inventory from a transferred or terminated Government or commercial contract.
- (c) Used, reconditioned, remanufactured supplies, unused former Government surplus property, or residual inventory shall not be used unless the contractor has proposed the use of such supplies, and the Contracting Officer has authorized their use.
 - (d) Offers to provide other than new material shall be submitted to the Contracting Officer for approval:
- (7) A proposal to provide unused former Government surplus property shall include a complete description of the material, the quantity, the name of the Government agency from which acquired, and the date of acquisition.
- (8) A proposal to provide used, reconditioned, or remanufactured supplies shall include a detailed description of such supplies.
- (9) A proposal to provide residual inventory shall include the Government or commercial contract number of the terminated contract and the name of the original contractor.
- (e) If the use of used, reconditioned, remanufactured items, unused former Government surplus property, or residual inventory are approved by the Contracting Officer, we may require you to meet specific marking, inspection, and testing requirements beyond those found in this solicitation. We will negotiate these additional requirements with you before award and put them in any resulting contract.

[End of Clause]

34 52.211-4049 PART NUMBERS NOT CURRENTLY APPROVED
(TACOM)

is believed to be equivalent to our already approved item.

As specified elsewhere in this solicitation, part or all of the contract item to be procured hereunder is restricted to certain approved manufacturer's part numbers as set forth in the Schedule and/or the Technical Data Package. Any firm that produces an item which it believes to be equivalent to one of these approved part numbers is hereby encouraged to have such item tested and approved, so that the item will be eligible to be bought on future acquisitions. Please write to the attention of the buyer at the address indicated on the cover page of this solicitation and request a statement of the procedures by which items can be tested and approved for procurement. Such an enquiry should cite the applicable National Stock Number (NSN), the already approved part number, the part number of the item which the enquirer believes to be identical to our approved item, and a brief statement of the basis on which the new item

NOV/1983

[End of Provision]

- 35 52.211-4051 NOTICE REGARDING SOURCE-CONTROLLED COMPONENTS NOV/1982
 a. Offeror's attention is directed to the provision entitled ACQUISITION OF MANUFACTURER'S PART NUMBER: COMPONENTS in this solicitation. At least one component of the item to be purchased under this acquisition is restricted to specified manufacturer's part numbers as set forth in the Technical Data Package. It shall be the responsibility of each offeror to ensure the availability of sufficient quantities of such source-controlled components before tendering an offer in response to this solicitation. Except as described in paragraph b. below, offers that propose to substitute alternatives to the source-controlled components, even if the substitute items are represented as equivalent in all respects to the source-controlled components, will not be considered for contract award.
- b.(1) If the following conditions are met, a firm may submit an offer conditioned on acceptance by the Government of alternatives to the source-controlled component(s) listed in the Technical Data Package:
- ??(a) Prior to receipt of this solicitation, the firm must have received written TACOM approval of a test procedure on its proposed equivalent component
- (b) The firm must indicate in its offer the date of the written TACOM approval, and the name and title of the approving official.
- (c) The firm must certify in its offer that it is in the process of having its item independently tested per the approved test procedure to demonstrate full physical, functional, and mechanical interchangeability of its part with an already-approved part cited in this solicitation, or that it is awaiting final TACOM engineering approval of the summary report furnished at the conclusion of testing;
- (d) The firm must have secured final written approval of its part from TACOM engineering by the time of bid opening, (in the case of formally advertised acquisitions), or by the time of contract award, (in the case of negotiated acquisitions).

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(2) Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Government expressly reserves to the Procuring Contracting Officer the right to waive the above conditions in making an award when it is clearly established, in his sole discretion, that written approval of a nonlisted part from TACOM engineering can be obtained without delay in the anticipated date of award.

When either of the foregoing conditions (paragraphs b(1) or b(2) above) are met, the Government reserves the right to make an award where use of the equivalent item is authorized in lieu of the source-controlled item. Where the foregoing conditions are not met, offeror will not be eligible for award unless he agrees to furnish the source-controlled item(s) from the indicated source(s).

c. Any firm that manufactures or regularly sells an item which it views as equivalent in all respects to one of our required components, but that has not initiated approved qualification testing in order to demonstrate that its part is totally equivalent to the required component, is referred to the notice entitled PART NUMBERS NOT CURRENTLY APPROVED, which is located elsewhere herein.

36 52.211-4069

WELDING INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS

MAR/2001

(TACOM)

- (a) INSPECTION: As the contractor, during performance of this contract you will verify weld quality and workmanship using qualified inspectors trained to perform these inspection functions. Acceptable qualification of your inspectors may be based on:
 - (1) current or previous certification as an AWS Certified Welding Inspector; or
 - (2) current or previous certification by the Canadian Welding Bureau (CWB); or
- (3) inspection performed by an engineer or technician who is competent in the use of weld inspection techniques and equipment, on the basis of (i) formal training or (ii) experience, or both, in metals fabrication, inspection, and testing.
- (b) NON BALLISTIC VISUAL INSPECTION. You will perform all non-ballistic visual inspections of weld quality and workmanship for structural steel in accordance with Section 6 of AWS D1.1-96. For structural aluminum, you may perform non-ballistic visual inspections of weld quality and workmanship using the guidelines given in MIL-STD-370A, dated 21 Sep 93.
- (c) BALLISTIC VISUAL INSPECTION. You will perform all ballistic visual inspections in accordance with section 6 of the UDLP/TACOM Ground Combat Vehicle Code--Aluminum, dated July 1996. Copies of this document can be obtained by written request to:

Commander, US Army Tank-automotive and Armaments Command

ATTN: AMSTA-TR-E/Materials Warren, MI 48397-5000

[End of Clause]

37 52.214-4003 ALL OR NONE

JUN/1985

(TACOM)

Only one award will be made as a result of this solicitation. Offers must be submitted for the total quantity of all the items listed. Offers for less than the total quantities of all the items will not be considered.

[End of Clause]

38 52.223-4000

ENVIRONMENTAL, SAFETY, AND ENERGY STANDARDS AND REGULATIONS

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- (a) The contract price includes Contractor compliance with all federal vehicle emission, fuel economy, safety, and noise requirements and standards, hereinafter referred to as <u>requirements</u>, affecting the supplies to be delivered under this contract which, as of the time of bid opening in the case of sealed bidding, or as of the time for receipt of Best and Final Offers (BAFOs) in the case of a negotiated solicitation, were in effect or scheduled to become effective during the term of this contract.
- (b) In the event any of these requirements are subsequently changed (i.e., altered, rescinded or postponed) and such changes have not been otherwise provided for prior to the award of this contract, and compliance is mandatory upon the Contractor, and such changes cause an increase or decrease in the cost of, or time required to perform the contract, Contractor compliance with these changes shall be subject to equitable adjustment.
- (c) If any of these requirements are changed as described above, but compliance is optional on the part of the Contractor, the Contractor shall promptly notify the Government in writing and the Procuring Contracting Officer (PCO) shall have the right to decide whether the supplies yet to be accepted and delivered to the Government shall incorporate the optional changes. After receipt of this

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written notice the PCO shall provide timely written advice to the Contractor of the Government's decision and, if applicable, the effective data of such change(s). If the PCO's election constitutes a change which causes an increase or decrease in the cost of, or time required to perform this contract, Contractor compliance therewith shall be subject to equitable adjustment.

39 52.246-4005 (TACOM) INSPECTION AND ACCEPTANCE POINTS: ORIGIN

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The Government's inspection and acceptance of the supplies offered under this order shall take place at ORIGIN. Offeror must specify below the exact name and address of his facility, or his subcontractor's facility, where supplies to be furnished under this order will be available for origin inspection

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| | | | (Name and Address) | | |
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| 375670/ 375675 | W62G2T | Transportation Officer XU Def Dist Depot San Joaquin 25600 S Chrisman Rd Rec Whse 10 Tracy, Ca 95376-5000 | Transportation Officer XU Def Dist Depot San Joaquin 25600 S Chrisman Rd Rec Whse 10 Tracy, Ca 95376-5000 | Transportation Officer Dist Depot San Joaquin P O Box 96001 Stockton, CA 95296-0130 | |
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| 209741/ 209770 | W25G1R | Transportation Officer Letterkenny Army Depot, Culbertson, PA | Transportation Officer Letterkenny Army Depot, Chambersburg, PA | Transportation Officer Letterkenny Army Depot, Chambersburg, PA 17201-4150 | |
| 561136/ 561157 | W45G19 | Transportation Officer Red River Army Depot, Defense, TX | Transportation Officer Red River Army Depot, Texarkana, TX | Transportation Officer Red River Army Depot, Texarkana, TX 75507-5000 | |
| 764538/ 764535 | W67G23 | Transportation Officer Tooele Army Depot, Warner, UT | Transportation Officer Tooele Army Depot, Tooele, UT | Transportation Officer Tooele Army Depot, Tooele, UT 84074-5003 | |

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NOTE: The following is applicable only when so specified in an individual order or delivery increment:

This requirement is a depot replenishment buy, a portion of which is or may be required to fill Direct Support System (DSS) requisitions. Shipment shall be made, as specified, to one or more of:

New Cumberland Army Depot Red River Army Depot Sharpe Army Depot

prior to shipments to any other depots as may be designated. When more than one depot is designated for DSS shipments, priority shipments will be made equally to each of the designated destinations.

[End of Clause]

- 41 52.246-4019 VISUAL INSPECTION CRITERIA FOR STEEL WELDMENTS MAR/2001 (TACOM)
- (a) Application: MIL-STD-1261
- (b) Scope:
- (1) These criteria supplement paragraph 4.3 of MIL-STD-1261 and supersede paragraph 6.3.1.5 of MIL-W-46086 and paragraph 5.9.1.5 of MIL-STD-1941. AWS A3.0 shall be used to define all other welding terms not defined herein.
- (2) The limits established below represent the maximum discontinuities allowable for visual inspection of workmanship specimens and production steel weldments. (Note: Workmanship specimens which require cross-sectioning must also be evaluated for subsurface quality; these criteria are not contained herein.) Any discontinuity exceeding this limit is classified as defective and must be reworked or repaired dependent upon the nature and extent of the discontinuity. Weldments requiring subsurface weld inspection should be evaluated in accordance with the acceptance standard specified on the drawing in addition to these requirements.
 - (c) <u>Discontinuities:</u>
- (1) <u>Cracks</u> A weld crack is defined as a linear rupture resulting from excessive localized stress. Cracks can occur in the weld metal, fusion zone or heat affected zone. No cracks are allowed
- (2) <u>Porosity</u> Porosity is defined as a rounded cavity free of solid material resulting from gas entrapment during solidification.
 - (i) Maximum pore size shall be 1/16 inch.
 - (ii) There shall be no more than six pores for any twelve inch length of weld. For small weldments with continuous welds less than twelve inches in length, they shall have proportionately fewer pores allowed (example: three pores maximum for six inch length of weld).
 - (3) Overlap Overlap is defined as a protrusion of weld metal beyond the bond at the toe of the weld.
 - (i) A radiused tie-in must exist with the parent metal.
 - (ii) The overlap condition must not exceed 10% of the total weld length.
- (4) <u>Slag Inclusion</u> Slag inclusion is defined as a non-metallic solid material entrapped in or on the weld metal or between the weld metal and base metal. This discontinuity is applicable to SMA and FCAW processes. No slag inclusions are allowed.
- (5) <u>Undercut</u> Undercut is defined as a groove melted into the base material adjacent to the toe of the weld and left unfilled by weld metal.
 - (i) For base materials .25 inch and less in thickness, no undercutting is permitted.
 - (ii) For base materials greater than .25 inch thickness:
 - (A) The maximum depth of undercut shall be 1/32 inch.
 - (B) The undercut must have a width not less than twice the depth.

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(C) The length of undercut shall not exceed two inches cumulative in any continuous 24 inch length of weld. For continuous welds less than 24 inches in length, the maximum cumulative length shall be in direct proportion to this limit or one inch, whichever is greater. (For example: for an eight inch continuous length of weld, maximum cumulative allowable undercut length is one inch).

- (d) Weld Size:
 - (1) Fillet Welds:
 - (i) Fillet welds shall be measured using fillet weld gages.
 - (ii) For welds one-fourth inch and less, the weld size is the minimum as specified on the drawing symbol.
 - (iii) For fillet welds larger than one-fourth inch, the weld may be undersize by 1/16 inch for a maximum length of 10% of the continuous weld length.
 - (2) Groove Welds: No underfill is allowed.

[End of Clause]

42 52.246-4026 LOCAL ADDRESS FOR DD FORM 250 (TACOM)

MAR/2002

- (a) The contractor must provide a copy of each Material Inspection and Receiving Report (DD 250) pertaining to this contract, to the addresses given below, using either of the following methods:
 - (1) Our first preference is for you to use electronic mail (e-mail), using the following e-mail address:

DD250@tacom.army.mil

- (2) Our second preference is for you to use data facsimile (datafax) transmission, using this fax number:
 - (586) 574-7552 and use "DD250 mailbox" in the "to:" block of your fax cover or header sheet.

In either method, do not mix DD250s from more than one contract in a single transmmission. That is, you may submit multiple DD250s in a single transmission, but they must all be against the same contract.

- (b) These copies meet the requirements for the Purchasing Office copy and the Army Inventory Control Manager copy listed in tables 1 and 2 of DFARS Appendix F.
 - (c) The DD250 form may be found, in three different formats, on the World Wide Web at http://web1.whs.osd.mil/icdhome/DD-0999.htm

[End of Clause]

43 52.246-4028 (TACOM)

INSPECTION POINT: ORIGIN

FEB/1994

We will inspect the supplies as described elsewhere in this solicitation/contract before acceptance. Fill-in the location, contractor's or subcontractor's plant, where origin inspection will occur.

| CONTRACTOR'S PLANT: | | | | | |
|--------------------------|-----------|--------|----------|---------|-------|
| | (Name) | | | | |
| - | | | | | |
| | (Address) | (City) | (County) | (State) | (Zip) |
| | | | | | |
| SUBCONTRACTOR'S PLANT: _ | | | | | |
| | (Name) | | | | |
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| SUBCONTRACTOR'S PLANT: _ | | | | | |

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| | | (Address) | (City) | (County) | (State) | (Zip) | |
| | | | | [End of Clause |] | | |
| 44 | 52.246-4040 (TACOM) | INSPECTION A | AND ACCEPTANCE | COUNT AND | CONDITION | | APR/2000 |

The Government will inspect the supplies described Section B of the contract. The inspection will be limited to kind, count, condition and packaging only. This limited inspection does not waive any other rights of the Government under this contract.

[End of Clause]

45 52.247-4005 SHIPMENT OF SUPPLIES AND DETENTION OF CARRIER'S EQUIPMENT FEB/2002 (TACOM)

- (a) Unless otherwise directed, shipment items under this contract in following order of priority:
 - (1) Government Bill(s)/Commercial of Lading or US Postal Services;
 - (2) Prepaid Commercial Bill(s) of Lading with transportation charges entered as a separate item on the invoice; or
 - (3) As otherwise instructed when the contract prohibits use of Government funds for transportation costs.
- (b) The Contractor will request:
 - (1) Government Bills of Lading and
- (2) Routing and other instructions, including MILSTAMP (Military Standard Transportation and Movement Procedure), as to the methods of shipment to be followed by the Contractor, or
- (c) The Contractor and subcontractor(s) must allow prompt and convenient access of carrier's equipment to loading docks or platforms where the contract items supplies will be loaded. Any charges for detention of carrier's equipment shall be for the account of the Contractor, except when the detention is required or caused by the Government.

[End of Clause]

46 52.247-4016 HEAT TREATMENT AND MARKING OF WOOD PACKAGING MATERIALS JUL/2002 (TACOM)

ALL NON-MANUFACTURED WOOD USED IN PACKAGING SHALL BE HEAT TREATED TO A CORE TEMPERATURE OF 56 DEGREES CELSIUS FOR A MINIMUM OF 30 MINUTES. THE BOX/PALLET MANUFACTURER AND THE MANUFACTURER OF WOOD USED AS INNER PACKAGING SHALL BE AFFILIATED WITH AN INSPECTION AGENCY ACCREDITED BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW OF THE AMERICAN LUMBER STANDARD COMMITTEE. THE BOX/PALLET MANUFACTURER AND THE MANUFACTURER OF WOOD USED AS INNER PACKAGING SHALL ENSURE TRACEBILITY TO THE ORIGINAL SOURCE OF HEAT TREATMENT. EACH BOX/PALLET SHALL BE MARKED TO SHOW THE CONFORMANCE TO THE INTERNATIONAL PLANT PROTECTION CONVENTION STANDARD. BOXES/PALLETS AND ANY WOOD USED AS INNER PACKAGING MADE OF NON-MANUFACTURED WOOD SHALL BE HEAT TREATED. THE QUALITY MARK SHALL BE PLACED ON BOTH ENDS OF THE OUTER PACKAGING, BETWEEN THE END CLEATS OR END BATTENS; ON TWO SIDES OF THE PALLET.

[End of Clause]

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REPRESENTATIONS, CERTIFICATIONS, AND OTHER STATEMENTS OF OFFERORS

Regulatory Cite Title Date

52.215-20 REQUIREMENTS FOR COST OR PRICING DATA OR INFORMATION OTHER THAN COST OCT/1997

OR PRICING DATA ```(ALTERNATE III (OCT 1997) AND ALTERNATE IV (OCT

- 1997))
 (a) Submission of cost or pricing data is not required.
- (b) Provide information described below: Price breakdown with supporting documentation.
- (c) Submit the cost portion of the proposal via the following electronic media: FAX, e-mail, 3 1/2 floppy or CD ROM. If an electronic spreadsheet is provided, it must be compatible with MS-DOS/Windows versions of Excel 5.0 or earlier, with *.xls, *.wbl, or *.wk3 the preferred formats.

(End of provision)

- 2 52.247-4001 METHOD OF EVALUATION OF TRANSPORTATION OF F.O.B. ORIGIN OFFERS MAR/2002 (TACOM)
- (a) For the evaluation of this offer, we will use the lowest freight rates from the Transportation Officer that are:
 - in effect (or the lowest rates that will become effective before the expected date of initial shipment), and
- on file or published with the Transportation Officer by the date of bid opening (or by the closing date specified for requests for proposals), and
 - for the Government selected method of shipment, and
 - based upon the following freight classification:

UFC: 6000 ITEM: 61370 NMFC: 100 ITEM: 120820

[End of Provision]

- 3 52.204-6 DATA UNIVERSAL NUMBERING SYSTEM (DUNS) NUMBER JUN/1999
- (a) The offeror shall enter, in the block with its name and address on the cover page of its offer, the annotation "DUNS" followed by the DUNS number that identifies the offeror's name and address exactly as stated in the offer. The DUNS number is a nine-digit number assigned by Dun and Bradstreet Information Services.
- (b) If the offeror does not have a DUNS number, it should contact Dun and Bradstreet directly to obtain one. A DUNS number will be provided immediately by telephone at no charge to the offeror. For information on obtaining a DUNS number, the offeror, if located within the United States, should call Dun and Bradstreet at 1-800-333-0505. The offeror should be prepared to provide the following information:
 - (1) Company name.
 - (2) Company address.
 - (3) Company telephone number.
 - (4) Line of business.
 - (5) Chief executive officer/key manager.
 - (6) Date the company was started.
 - (7) Number of people employed by the company.
 - (8) Company affiliation.
- (c) Offerors located outside the United States may obtain the location and phone number of the local Dun and Bradstreet Information Services office from the Internet home page at http://www.customerservices@dnb.com. If an offeror is unable to locate a local service center, it may send an e-mail to Dun and Bradstreet at globalinfo@mail.dnb.com.

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- (a) North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) code and small business size standard. The NAICS code is 336211 and small business size standard for this acquisition is 1,000. However, the small business size standard for a concern which submits an offer in its own name, but which proposes to furnish an item which it did not itself manufacture, is 500 employees.
- (b) Submission of offers. Submit signed and dated offers to the office specified in this solicitation at or before the exact time specified in this solicitation. All Offers must be submitted electronically and may be submitted on the SF 1449, letterhead stationery, or as otherwise specified in the solicitation. As a minimum, offers must show --
 - (1) The solicitation number;
 - (2) The time specified in the solicitation for receipt of offers;
 - (3) The name, address, and telephone number of the offeror;
- (4) A technical description of the items being offered in sufficient detail to evaluate compliance with the requirements in the solicitation. This may include product literature, or other documents, if necessary;
 - (5) Terms of any express warranty;
 - (6) Price and any discount terms;
 - (7) "Remit to" address, if different than mailing address;
 - (8) Acknowledgment of Solicitation Amendments;
- (9) If the offer is not submitted on the SF 1449, include a statement specifying the extent of agreement with all terms, conditions, and provisions included in the solicitation. Offers that fail to furnish required representations or information, or reject the terms and conditions of the solicitation may be excluded from consideration.
- (c) Period for acceptance of offers. The offeror agrees to hold the prices in its offer firm for 120 calendar days from the date specified for receipt of offers, unless another time period is specified in an addendum to the solicitation.
- (d) Product samples. When required by the solicitation, product samples shall be submitted at or prior to the time specified for receipt of offers. Unless otherwise specified in this solicitation, these samples shall be submitted at no expense to the Government, and returned at the sender's request and expense, unless they are destroyed during preaward testing.
- (e) Late submissions, modifications, revisions, and withdrawals of offers.
- (1) Offerors are responsible for submitting offers, and any modifications, revisions, or withdrawals, so as to reach the Government office designated in the solicitation by the time specified in the solicitation. If no time is specified in the solicitation, the time for receipt is 4:30 p.m., local time, for the designated Government office on the date that offers or revisions are due.
- (2)(i) Any offer, modification, revision, or withdrawal of an offer received at the Government office designated in the solicitation after the exact time specified for receipt of offers is "late" and will not be considered unless it is received before award is made, the Contracting Officer determines that accepting the late offer would not unduly delay the acquisition; and-
- (A) If it was transmitted through an electronic commerce method authorized by the solicitation, it was received at the initial point of entry to the Government infrastructure not later than 5:00 p.m. one working day prior to the date specified for receipt of offers; or
- (B) There is acceptable evidence to establish that it was received at the Government installation designated for receipt of offers and was under the Government's control prior to the time set for receipt of offers; or
 - (C) If this solicitation is a request for proposals, it was the only proposal received.
- (ii) However, a late modification of an otherwise successful offer, that makes its terms more favorable to the Government, will be considered at any time it is received and may be accepted.
- (3) Acceptable evidence to establish the time of receipt at the Government installation includes the time/date stamp of that installation on the offer wrapper, other documentary evidence of receipt maintained by the installation, or oral testimony or statements of Government personnel.

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- (4) If an emergency or unanticipated event interrupts normal Government processes so that offers cannot be received at the Government office designated for receipt of offers by the exact time specified in the solicitation, and urgent Government requirements preclude amendment of the solicitation or other notice of an extension of the closing date, the time specified for receipt of offers will be deemed to be extended to the same time of day specified in the solicitation on the first work day on which normal Government processes resume.
- (5) Offers may be withdrawn by written notice received at any time before the exact time set for receipt of offers. Oral offers in response to oral solicitations may be withdrawn orally. If the solicitation authorizes facsimile offers, offers may be withdrawn via facsimile received at any time before the exact time set for receipt of offers, subject to the conditions specified in the solicitation concerning facsimile offers. An offer may be withdrawn in person by an offeror or its authorized representative if, before the exact time set for receipt of offers, the identity of the person requesting withdrawal is established and the person signs a receipt for the offer.
- (f) Contract award (not applicable to Invitation for Bids). The Government intends to evaluate offers and award a contract without discussions with offerors. Therefore, the offeror's initial offer should contain the offeror's best terms from a price and technical standpoint. However, the Government reserves the right to conduct discussions if later determined by the Contracting Officer to be necessary. The Government may reject any or all offers if such action is in the public interest; accept other than the lowest offer; and waive informalities and minor irregularities in offers received.
- (g) Availability of requirements documents cited in the solicitation.
- (1)(i) The GSA Index of Federal Specifications, Standards and Commercial Item Descriptions, FPMR Part 101-29, and copies of specifications, standards, and commercial item descriptions cited in this solicitation may be obtained for a fee by submitting a request to--

GSA Federal Supply Service Specifications Section

Suite 8100 470 L'Enfant Plaza, SW Washington, DC 20407 Telephone (202) 619-8925)

Facsimile (202 619-8978)

- (ii) If the General Services Administration, Department of Agriculture, or Department of Veterans Affairs issued this solicitation, a single copy of specifications, standards, and commercial item descriptions cited in this solicitation may be obtained free of charge by submitting a request to the addressee in paragraph (i)(1)(i) of this provision. Additional copies will be issued for a
 - (2) The DoD Index of Specifications and Standards (DoDISS) and documents listed in it may be obtained from the-

Department of Defense Single Stock Point (DoDSSP)

Building 4, Section D

700 Robbins Avenue Philadelphia, PA 19111-5094

Telephone (215) 697-2667/2179

Facsmilie (215) 697-1462

- (i) Automatic distribution may be obtained on a subscription basis.
- (ii) Order forms, pricing information, and customer support information may be obtained-
 - (A) By telephone at (215) $697_2667/2179;$ or
 - (B) Through the DoDSSP Internet site at http://www.dodssp.daps.mil.
- (3) Nongovernment (voluntary) standards must be obtained from the organization responsible for their preparation, publication or maintenance.
- (h) Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS) Number. (Applies to offers exceeding \$25,000.) The offeror shall enter, in the block with its

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name and address on the cover page of its offer, the annotation "DUNS" followed by the DUNS number that identifies the offeror's name and address. If the offeror does not have a DUNS number, it should contact Dun and Bradstreet to obtain one at no charge. An offeror within the United States may call 1-800-333-0505. The offeror may obtain more information regarding the DUNS number, including locations of local Dun and Bradstreet Information Services offices for offerors located outside the United States, from the Internet home page at http://www.customerservice@dnb.com. If an offeror is unable to locate a local service center, it may send an e-mail to Dun and Bradstreet at globalinfo@mail.dnb.com.

(End of Provision)

5 52.212-3 OFFEROR REPRESENTATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS--COMMERCIAL ITEMS (Alt I JUL/2002 dated Apr 2002)

(A) <u>Definitions.</u> As used in this provision:

Emerging small business means a small business concern whose size is no greater than 50 percent of the numerical size standard for the NAICS code designated.

"Forced or indentured child labor" means all work or service-

(1) Exacted from any person under the age of 18 under the menace of any penalty for its

nonperformance and for which the worker does not offer himself voluntarily; or

(2) Performed by any person under the age of 18 pursuant to a contract the enforcement of which can be accomplished by process or penalties.

"Service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern"--

(1) Means a small business concern--

(i) Not less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more service--disabled veterans or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans; and

(ii) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more service-disabled veterans or, in the case of a veteran with permanent and severe disability, the spouse or permanent caregiver of such veteran.

(2) Service-disabled veteran means a veteran, as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101(2), with a disability that is service-connected, as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101(16).

"Small business concern" means a concern, including its affiliates, that is independently owned and operated, not dominant in the field of operation in which it is bidding on Government contracts, and qualified as a small business under the criteria in 13 CFR Part 121 and size standards in this solicitation.

"Veteran-owned small business concern" means a small business concern--

(1) Not less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more veterans (as defined at 38 U.S.C. 101(2)) or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more veterans; and

(2) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more

veterans.

"Women-owned business concern" means a concern which is at least 51 percent owned by one or more women; or in the case of any publicly owned business, at least 51 percent of the its stock is owned by one or more women; and whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women.

"Women-owned small business concern" means a small business concern--

- (1) That is at least 51 percent owned by one or more women or; in the case of any publicly owned business, at least 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more women; and
 - (2) Whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women.
- (b) Taxpayer identification number (TIN) (26 U.S.C. 6109, 31 U.S.C. 7701). (Not applicable if the offeror is required to provide this information to a central contractor registration database to be eligible for award.)
 - (1) All offerors must submit the information required in paragraphs (b)(3) through (b)(5) of this provision to comply with debt collection requirements of 31 U.S.C. 7701(c) and 3325(d), reporting requirements of 26 U.S.C. 6041, 6041A, and 6050M, and implementing regulations issued by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).
 - (2) The TIN may be used by the government to collect and report on any delinquent amounts arising out of the offeror's relationship with the Government (31 U.S.C. 7701(c)(3)). If the resulting contract is subject to the payment reporting requirements described in FAR 4.904, the TIN provided hereunder may be matched with IRS records to verify the accuracy of the offeror's TIN.]
 - (3) Taxpayer identification number (TIN)

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| | () TIN: |
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| () TIN has been | |
| () TIN is not re | quired because: |
| () Offeror | is a nonresident alien, foreign corporation, or foreign partnership that does not have income effectively |
| | of a trade or business in the U.S. and does not have an office or place of business or a fiscal paying agent |
| | is an agency or instrumentality of a foreign government; |
| | is an agency or instrumentality of the Federal government; |
| (4) Type of organization | |
| () 11 | () Sole proprietorship; |
| | () Partnership; |
| | () Corporate entity (not tax-exempt); |
| | () Corporate entity (tax-exempt); |
| | () Government entity (Federal, State, or local);() Foreign government; |
| | () International organization per 26 CFR 1.6049-4; |
| | () Other |
| | |
| (5) <u>Common Parent.</u> | |
| () 255 | |
| | is not owned or controlled by a common parent: I TIN of common parent: |
| Name | TIN OF Common parent. |
| TIN | |
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| (1) <u>Small busines</u> () is, | s concern. The offeror represents as part of its offer that it |
| () is r | |
| a small busir | ess concern. |
| a small business concern in | (2) Veteran-owned small business concern. Complete only if the offeror represented itself as paragraph (c)(1) of this provision. The offeror represents as part of its offer that it (check one) is |
| is not a vet | eran-owned small business concern. |
| represented itself as a vete | (3) Service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern. Complete only if the offeror eran-owned small business concern in paragraph (c)(2) of this provision. The offeror represents as part of |
| its offer that it (check one | |
| emall buginess concern in na | (4) Small disadvantaged business concern. [Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a graph $(c)(1)$ of this provision.] The offeror represents, for general statistical purposes, that it * is, * |
| | d business concern as defined in 13 CFR 124.1002. |
| | (5) Women-owned small business concern. Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a |
| small business concern in pa | ragraph (c)(1) of this provision. The offeror represents that it |
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| () IS I | ot a women-owned small business concern. |
| Note: Complete paragraphs (| c)(6) and (c)(7) only if this solicitation is expected to exceed the simplified acquisition threshold. |
| concern and did not represer | siness concern (other than a small business concern). Complete only if the offeror is a woman-owned business it itself as a small business concern in paragraph $(c)(1)$ of this provision. The offeror represents that it |
| () is, () is r | not, a women-owned business concern. |
| (5) | |
| the labor surplus areas in v | y for labor surplus area concerns. If this is an invitation for bid, small business offerors may identify thich costs to be incurred on account of manufacturing or production (by offeror or first-tier than 50 percent of the contract price: |

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business concern under the size standards for this solicitation.)

| (i) | (Complete on | nly for | solicitations | indicated in | n an | addendum | as bein | g set-aside | for | emerging | small | businesses | in | one o |
|---------------------|--------------|----------|---------------|---------------|-------|-----------|---------|-------------|-----|----------|-------|------------|----|-------|
| the four designated | industry gro | oups (DI | Gs). The offe | eror represer | nts a | s part of | its of | fer that it | | | | | | |

() is,

() is not

an emerging small business.

- (ii) (Complete only for solicitations indicated in an addendum as being for one of the targeted industry categories (TICs) or four designated industry groups (DIGs).) Offeror represents as follows:
- (A) Offeror's number of employees for the past 12 months (check the Employees column if size standard stated in the solicitation is expressed in terms of number of employees); or
- (B) Offeror's average annual gross revenue for the last 3 fiscal years (check the Average Annual Gross Number of Revenues column if size standard stated in the solicitation is expressed in terms of annual receipts).

(Check one of the following):

Average Annual

| Number of Employees | Gross Revenues |
|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| 50 or fewer | \$1 million or less |
| 51 - 100 | \$1,000,001 - \$2 million |
| 101 - 250 | \$2,000,001 - \$3.5 million |
| 251 - 500 | \$3,500,001 - \$5 million |
| 501 - 750 | \$5,000,001 - \$10 million |
| 751 - 1,000 | \$10,000,001 - \$17 million |
| Over 1,000 | Over \$17 million |

- (9) (Complete only if the solicitation contains the clause at FAR 52.219-23, Notice of Price Evaluation Adjustment for Small Disadvantaged Business Concerns, and the offeror desires a benefit based on its disadvantaged status.)
 - (i) General. The offeror represents that either-

(A) It () is,

() is not

certified by the Small Business Administration as a small disadvantaged business concern and is listed, on the date of this representation, on the register of small disadvantaged business concerns maintained by the Small Business Administration, and that no material change in disadvantaged ownership and control has occurred since its certification, and, where the concern is owned by one or more individuals claiming disadvantaged status, the net worth of each individual upon whom the certification is based does not exceed \$750,000\$ after taking into account the applicable exclusions set forth at 13 CFR 124.104(c)(2); or

(B) It () has,

() has not

submitted a completed application to the Small Business Administration or a Private Certifier to be certified as a small disadvantaged business concern in accordance with 13 CFR 124, Subpart B, and a decision on that application is pending, and that no material change in disadvantaged ownership and control has occurred since its application was submitted.

(10) HUBZone small business concern. [Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (c)(1) of this provision.] The offeror represents, as part of its offer, that--

(i) It

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| () is not a HUBZone small business concern listed, on the date of this representation, on the List of Qualified HUBZone Small Business Concerns maintained by the Small Business Administration, and no material change in ownership and control, principal office, or HUBZone employee percentage has occurred since it was certified by the Small Business Administration in accordance with 13 CFR part 126; and (ii) It () is, |
|--|
| () is not a joint venture that complies with the requirements of 13 CFR part 126, and the representation in paragraph (c)(10)(i) of this provision is accurate for the HUBZone small business concern or concerns that are participating in the joint venture. [The offeror shall enter the name or names of the HUBZone small business concern or concerns that are participating in the joint venture:] Each HUBZone small business concern participating in the joint venture shall submit a separate signed copy of the HUBZone representation. |
| <pre>(11) (Complete if the offeror has represented itself as disadvantaged in paragraph (c)(4) or (c)(9) of this provision.) [The offeror shall check the category in which its ownership falls]: () Black American. () Hispanic American. () Native American (American Indians, Eskimos, Aleuts, or Native Hawaiians). () Asian-Pacific American (persons with origins from Burma, Thailand, Malaysia, Indonesia, Singapore, Brunei, Japan, China, Taiwan, Laos, Cambodia (Kampuchea), Vietnam, Korea, The Philippines, U.S. Trust Territory or the Pacific Islands</pre> |
| (Republic of Palau), Republic of the Marshall Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, Guam, Samoa, Macao, Hong Kong, Fiji, Tonga, Kiribati, Tuvalu, or Nauru). () Subcontinent Asian (Asian-Indian) American (persons with origins from India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka, Bhutan, the Maldives Islands, or Nepal). () Individual/concern, other than one of the preceding. |
| (D) Representations required to implement provisions of Executive Order 11246 (1) Previous Contracts and Compliance. The offeror represents that |
| (i) It() has,() has not,participated in a previous contract or subcontract subject to the Equal Opportunity clause of this solicitation; and |
| <pre>(ii) It</pre> |
| (2) Affirmative Action Compliance. The offeror represents that |
| (i) It () has developed and has on file, () has not developed and does not have on file, at each establishment, affirmative action programs required by rules and regulations of the Secretary of Labor (41 CFR) |
| Subparts 60-1 and 60-2), or |
| (ii) It () has not previously had contracts subject to the written affirmative action programs requirement of the rules and regulations of the Secretary of Labor. |
| (E) Certification Regarding Payments to Influence Federal Transactions (31 U.S.C. 1352). (Applies only if the contract is expected to exceed \$100,000.) By submission of its offer, the offeror certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief that no Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any |

connection with the award of any resultant contract.

(F) Buy American Act Certificate. (Applies only if the clause at Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 52.225-1, Buy American Act - Supplies, is included in this solicitation.)

agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress or an employee of a Member of Congress on his or her behalf in

- (1) The offeror certifies that each end product, except those listed in paragraph (f)(2) of this provision, is a domestic end product (as defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Buy American Act -Supplies") and that the offeror has considered components of unknown origin to have been mined, produced, or manufactured outside the United States. The offeror shall list as foreign end products those end products manufactured in the United States that do not qualify as domestic end products.
- (2) Foreign End Products: [List as necessary.]

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(3) The Government will evaluate offers in accordance with the policies and procedures of FAR Part 25.

(G)(1) Buy American Act -- North American Free Trade Agreement -- Israeli Trade Act Certificate. (Applies only if the clause at FAR 52.225-3, Buy American Act -- North American Free Trade Agreement Israeli Trade Act -- Balance of Payments Program, is included in this

(i) The offeror certifies that each end product, except those listed in paragraph (g)(1)(ii) or (g)(1)(iii) of this provision, is a domestic end product as defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Buy American Act -- North American Free Trade Agreement Israeli Trade Act" and that the offeror has considered components of unknown origin to have been mined, produced, or manufactured outside the United States.

(ii) The offeror certifies that the following supplies are NAFTA country end products or Israeli end products as defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Buy American Act-North American Free Trade Agreement-Israeli Trade": NAFTA Country or Israeli End Products: [List as necessary]

LINE ITEM NO.:

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN:

(iii) The offeror shall list those supplies that are foreign end products (other than those listed in paragraph (g)(1)(ii) or this provision) as defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Buy American Act-North American Free Trade Agreement-Israeli Trade Act" The offeror shall list as other foreign end products those end products manufactured in the United States that do not qualify as domestic end products.

Other Foreign End Products: [List as necessary]

LINE ITEM NO.:

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN:

(iv) The Government will evaluate offers in accordance with the policies and procedures of FAR Part 25.

(2) Buy American Act-North American Free Trade Agreements-Israeli Trade Act Certificate, Alternate I (May 2002). If Alternate I to the clause at FAR 52.225-3 is included in this solicitation, substitute the following paragraph (g)(1)(ii) for paragraph (g)(1)(ii) of the basic provision:

(g)(1)(ii) The offeror certifies that the following supplies are Canadian end products as defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Buy American Act-North American Free Trade Agreement-Israeli Trade Act":

LINE ITEM NO.: [List as necessary]

(3) Buy American Act-North American Free Trade Agreements-Israeli Trade Act Certificate, Alternate II (May 2002). If Alternate II to the clause at FAR 52.225-3 is included in this solicitation, substitute the following paragraph (g)(1)(ii) for paragraph (q)(1)(ii) of the basic provision:

(g)(l)(ii) The offeror certifies that the following supplies are Canadian end products or Israeli end products as defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled ''Buy American Act--North American Free Trade Agreement--Israeli Trade Act'': [List as necessarvl

> Canadian or Israeli End Products LINE ITEM NO.:

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN:

- (4) Trade Agreements Certificate. (Applies only if the clause at FAR 52.225-5, Trade Agreements, is included in this solicitation.)
 - (i) The offeror certifies that each end product, except those listed in paragraph (g)(4)(ii) of this provision, is a U.S.made, designated country, Caribbean Basin country, or NAFTA country end product, as defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled ''Trade Agreements.''
 - (ii) The offeror shall list as other end products those end products that are not U.S -made, designated country, Caribbean Basin country, or NAFTA country end products. Other End Products [List as necessary]

LINE ITEM NO.:

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN:

- (iii) The Government will evaluate offers in accordance with the policies and procedures of FAR Part 25. For line items subject to the Trade Agreements Act, the Government will evaluate offers of U.S.-made, designated country, Caribbean Basin country, or NAFTA country end products without regard to the restrictions of the Buy American Act or the Balance of Payments Program. The Government will consider for award only offers of U.S.-made, designated country, Caribbean Basin country, or NAFTA country end products unless the Contracting Officer determines that there are no offers for such products or that the offers for such products are insufficient to fulfill the requirements of the solicitation.
- (h) Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension or Ineligibility for Award (Executive Order 12549). (Applies only if the contract value is expected to exceed the simplified acquisition threshold.) The offeror certifies, to the best of its knowledge and belief, that the offeror and/or any of its principals--

(1) [] Are, [] are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency; and

(2) [] Have, [] have not, within a three-year period preceding this offer, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: Commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes

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relating to the submission of offers; or Commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and

(3) [] Are, [] are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

(I) Certification Regarding Knowledge of Child Labor for Listed End Products (Executive Order 13126). [The Contracting Officer must list in paragraph (i)(1) any end products being acquired under this solicitation that are included in the List of Products Requiring Contractor Certification as to Forced or Indentured Child Labor, unless excluded at 22.1503(b).]

(1) Listed End Product:

Listed Countries of Origin:

- (2) Certification. [If the Contracting Officer has identified end products and countries of origin in paragraph (i)(1) of this provision, then the offeror must certify to either (i)(2)(i) or (i)(2)(ii) by checking the appropriate block.]
 - [] (i) The offeror will not supply any end product listed in paragraph (i)(1) of this provision that was mined, produced, or manufactured in the corresponding country as listed for that product.
 - [] (ii) The offeror may supply an end product listed in paragraph (i)(1) of this provision that was mined, produced, or manufactured in the corresponding country as listed for that product. The offeror certifies that is has made a good faith effort to determine whether forced or indentured child labor was used to mine, produce, or manufacture any such end product furnished under this contract. On the basis of those efforts, the offeror certifies that it is not aware of any such use of child labor.

(End of provision)

6 52.217-5 EVALUATION OF OPTIONS

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(a) Except when it is determined in accordance with FAR 17.206(b) not to be in the Government's best interests, the Government will evaluate offers for award purposes by adding the total price for all options to the total price for the basic requirement. Evaluation of options will not obligate the Government to exercise the option(s).

(End of provision)

7 52.247-46 SHIPPING POINT(S) USED IN EVALUATION OF F.O.B. ORIGIN OFFERS

APR/1984

- (a) If more than one shipping point or plant is designated by the offeror and the offeror fails to indicate the quantity per shipping point or plant before bid opening, the Government will evaluate the offer on the basis of delivery of the entire quantity from the point or plant where cost of transportation is most favorable to the Government.
- (b) If the offeror, before bid opening (or the closing date specified for receipt of offers) fails to indicate any shipping point or plant, the Government will evaluate the offer on the basis of delivery from the plant at which the contract will be performed, as indicated in the offer. If no plant is indicated in the offer, the offer will be evaluated on the basis of delivery from the Contractor's business address indicated in the offer.
- (c) If the offeror uses a shipping point other than that which has been used by the Government as a basis for the evaluation of offers, any increase of transportation costs shall be borne by the Contractor and any savings shall revert to the Government.

(End of provision)

8 52.247-47 EVALUATION--F.O.B. ORIGIN

APR/1984

Land methods of transportation by regulated common carrier are the normal means of transportation used by the Government for shipment within the United States (excluding Alaska and Hawaii). Accordingly, for the purpose of evaluating offers, only these methods will be considered in establishing the cost of transportation between offeror's shipping point and destination (tentative or firm, whichever is applicable) in the United States (excluding Alaska and Hawaii). This transportation cost will be added to the offer price in determining the overall cost of the supplies to the Government. When tentative destinations are indicated, they will be used only for evaluation purposes, the Government having the right to use any other means of transportation or any other destination at the time of shipment.

(End of provision)

9 52.247-60 GUARANTEED SHIPPING CHARACTERISTICS

DEC/1989

(a) The offeror is requested to complete subparagraph (a)(1) of this clause, for each part or component which is packed or packaged separately. This information will be used to determine transportation costs for evaluation purposes. If the offeror does not furnish sufficient data in subparagraph (a)(1) of this clause, to permit determination by the Government of the item shipping costs, evaluation will be based on the shipping characteristics submitted by the offeror whose offer produces the highest transportation costs or in the absence thereof, by the Contracting Officer's best estimate of the actual transportation costs. If the item shipping costs,

(1) To be completed by the offeror:

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based on the actual shipping characteristics, exceed the item shipping costs used for evaluation purposes, the Contractor agrees that the contract price shall be reduced by an amount equal to the difference between the transportation costs actually incurred, and the costs which would have been incurred if the evaluated shipping characteristics had been accurate.

| | (i) | Type of "Outer" container: Wood Box, Fiber Box, Barrel, Reel, Drum, Other (Specify) |
|--------------|----------|---|
| | (ii) | Shipping configuration: Knocked-down, Set-up, Nested, Other (specify); |
| | (iii) | Size of outer container: inches (Length), x inches (Width), x inches (Height) = Cubic FT; |
| | (iv) | Number of items per outer container Each; |
| | (v) | Gross weight of outer container and contents LBS |
| | (vi) | Palletized/skidded Yes No; |
| | (vii) | Number of outer containers per pallet/skid; |
| | (viii) | Weight of empty pallet bottom/skid and sides LBS; |
| | (ix) | Size of pallet/skid and contents; |
| | (x) | Number of outer containers or pallets/skids per railcar * |
| | | Size of railcar |
| | | Type of railcar |
| | (xi) | Number of outer containers or pallets/skids per trailer * |
| | | Size of trailer |
| | | Type of trailer |
| Number of co | mplete ı | units (contract line item) to be shipped in carrier's equipment. |
| (2) | To be o | completed by the Government after evaluation but before contract award: |
| | (i) | Rate used in evaluation; |
| | (ii) | Tender/Tariff; |
| | (iii) | Item; |
| quirements, | which ar | hipping characteristics requested in subparagraph (a)(1) of this clause do not establish actual transportati re specified elsewhere in this solicitation. The guaranteed shipping characteristics will be used only for offers and establishing any liability of the successful offeror for increased transportation costs resultin |

re the g from actual shipping characteristics which differ from those used for evaluation in accordance with paragraph (a) of this clause.

[End of Clause]

- 252.212-7000 OFFEROR REPRESENTATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS--COMMERCIAL ITEMS NOV/1995
- (a) <u>Definitions</u>.

As used in this clause--

(1) Foreign person means any person other than a United States person as defined in Section 16(2) of the Export Administration Act of 1979 (50 U.S.C. App. Sec. 2415).

(2) United States person is defined in Section 16(2) of the Export Administration Act of 1979 and means any United States resident or national (other than an individual resident outside the United States and employed by other than a United States person),

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any domestic concern (including any permanent domestic establishment of any foreign concern), and any foreign subsidiary or affiliate (including any permanent foreign establishment) of any domestic concern which is controlled in fact by such domestic concern, as determined under regulations of the President.

(b) Certification.

By submitting this offer, the Offeror, if a foreign person, company or entity, certifies that it-

- (1) Does not comply with the Secondary Arab Boycott of Israel; and
- (2) Is not taking or knowingly agreeing to take any action, with respect to the Secondary Boycott of Israel by Arab countries, which 50 U.S.C. App. Sec. 2407(a) prohibits a United States person from taking.
- (c) Representation of Extent of Transportation by Sea. (This representation does not apply to solicitations for the direct purchase of ocean transportation services).
- (1) The Offeror shall indicate by checking the appropriate blank in paragraph (c)(2) of this provision whether transportation of supplies by sea is anticipated under the resultant contract. The term supplies is defined in the Transportation of Supplies by Sea clause of this solicitation.

(2) Representation.

The Offeror represents that it--

_Does anticipate that supplies will be transported by sea in the performance of any contract or subcontract resulting from this

Does not anticipate that supplies will be transported by sea in the performance of any contract or subcontract resulting from this solicitation.

(3) Any contract resulting from this solicitation will include the Transportation of Supplies by Sea clause. If the Offeror represents that it will not use ocean transportation, the resulting contract will also include the Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement clause at 252.247-7024, Notification of Transportation of Supplies by Sea.

(End of provision)

DATA AND COMMUNICATIONS SUBMITTED TO THE GOVERNMENT ELECTRONICALLY 11 TACOM MAY/2002 (a) The Government often employs contractors as system administrators to operate and maintain Government computer systems. These systems include local area networks, web sites, databases, other electronic records, e-mail accounts, other electronic data transfer mechanisms and computer software. The employees of these contracted system administrators sign nondisclosure agreements obligating them

not to reveal information contained in files, documents, computers or systems that they administer. However, unless such information is protected in some way, contracted system administrators do have the ability to access such information.

(b) Potential contractors as well as any other parties are thus advised to take steps needed to prevent access by contracted system administrators to information submitted electronically to the Government. Absent such steps, it is assumed that contracted system administrators are permitted the capability to access the data. The access will be limited to that which is necessary for the contract system administrator to perform its duties for the Government. The access shall be subject to the condition that third party information is not to be revealed by the contracted system administrator.

[End of provision]

- OFFEROR'S DATAFAX NUMBER, E-MAIL ADDRESS, AND CAGE CODE MAR/2001 12 52.204-4007 (TACOM)
- (a) If you have a data fax number, please provide it below.

(b) If you have a company Internet address that we can use in the future when sending out electronic notices and possibly solicitations, please provide the complete e-mail address below.

(c) Provide your CAGE (Contractor And Government Entity) code below. If you don't have a CAGE code for your specific company name and address, enter NONE in the space below, and apply to Central Contractor Registration at the following website:

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13 52.212-4002 EVALUATION--COMMERCIAL ITEMS (TACOM)

AUG/1996

- (a) We'll award a contract to the offeror that:
 - 1. submits the lowest evaluated bid or offer, and
 - 2. submits a bid or proposal that meets all the material requirements of this solicitation, and
 - 3. meets all the responsibility criteria at FAR 9.104.
- (b) To make sure that you meet the responsibility criteria at FAR 9.104 we may:
 - 1. arrange a visit to your plant and perform a preaward survey;
 - 2. ask you to provide financial, technical, production, or managerial background information.
- (c) Options. We will evaluate offers for award purposes by adding the total price for all options to the total price for the basic requirement. We may determine that an offer is unacceptable if the option prices are significantly unbalanced. Evaluation of options shall not obligate us to exercise the option(s).
- (d) A written notice of award or acceptance of an offer, mailed or otherwise furnished to the successful offeror within the time for acceptance specified in the offer, shall result in a binding contract without further action by either party. Before the offer's specified expiration time, we may accept an offer (or part of an offer), regardless of whether there are negotiations after its receipt, unless a written notice of withdrawal is received before award.

14 52.212-4003 ALL OR NONE--COMMERCIAL ITEM ACQUISITION

SEP/1996

This provision serves as an addendum that modifies paragraph (h) of FAR 52.212-1, entitled INSTRUCTIONS TO OFFERORS--COMMERCIAL ITEMS. Paragraph (h) is modified to say that you must offer to provide the total quantity of the items in this solicitation. ONLY ONE AWARD WILL BE MADE AS A RESULT OF THIS SOLICITATION. OFFERS SUBMITTED FOR LESS THAN THE TOTAL QUANTITIES OF ALL THE ITEMS IN THIS SOLICITATION WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED FOR AWARD

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15 52.212-4851 ELECTRONIC OFFERS REQUIRED -COMMERCIAL ITEMS (TACOM)

APR/2003

- (a) You must submit your offer via paperless electronic media (See Paragraph (b) below.). Unless paper copies are specifically requested elsewhere in this solicitation (in Section L), offers submitted in paper form are unacceptable. You must submit your electronic offer, and any supplemental information (such as spreadsheets, backup data, and technical information), using any of the following electronic
- (1) Files readable using these Microsoft* 97 Office Products (TACOM can currently read OFFICE 97* and lower.): Word, Excel, Powerpoint, or Access. Spreadsheets must be sent in a file format that includes all formulae, macro and format information. Print image is not acceptable. Executable files are unacceptable.
 - (2) Files in Adobe PDF (Portable Document Format). Scanners should be set to 200 dots per inch.
- (3) Files in HTML (Hypertext Markup Language). HTML documents must not contain active links to live Internet sites or pages. All linked information must be contained within your electronic offer and be accessible offline.
- (4) Other electronic formats. Before preparing your offer in any other electronic format, please e-mail the buyer identified in Block 10 of the solicitation cover sheet (Government Standard Form 33), with e-mail copy-furnished to amsta-idq@tacom.army.mil, to obtain a decision as to the format's acceptability. This e-mail must be received by the buyer not later than ten calendar days before the closing date. Failure to e-mail the buyer within this timeframe to seek an alternate format's acceptability may result in rejection of your offer. All alternate methods must be at no cost to the Government.

NOTE (Compression): The above formats may be submitted in compressed form using Winzip*. Self-extracting files are not acceptable. Check with the buyer before using any product other than Winzip for file compression.

NOTE (Hyperlinks): Documents [submitted using any of the above formats] must not contain active links (hyperlinks) to any other documents that are not contained in the proposal. This includes links to live Internet web sites or web pages. All linked information must be contained within your electronic offer and be accessible offline.

NOTE (Macros): The virus scanning software used by our email systems cannot always distinguish a macro from a virus. Therefore, sending a macro embedded in an email message or an email attachment may cause the email offer to be quarantined. In that event subparagraphs (f) and (g) apply.

(b) Acceptable media: You must submit your offer via 100 megabyte or 250 megabyte Zip*-disk, or 3 1/2 inch disk, or 650 megabyte CD ROM, E-mail, or datafax. Identify the software application, and version, that you used to create each file submitted. The word "datafax" used

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in this clause means "facsimilie" as defined at FAR 52.215-5.

- (1) 100 OR 250 MEGABYTE ZIP*-DISK, 3 1/2 INCH DISK, OR 650 MEGABYTE CD ROM via U.S. Mail or other carrier. Offerors shall label any and all submitted disks with the solicitation number and closing date, and the offeror's name and address and contact phone number. Envelopes containing disks must be labeled per FAR 52.215-1(c), found within the provision, "Instructions to Offerors--Competitive Acquisition", listed in Section L. Your attention is also called to the entirety of that provision--all contained therein is applicable to paperless electronic offers. In the event of multiple submitted offers, place each offer/submission on its own disk(s)(one offer can comprise multiple disks). You must also submit only one offer/submission per envelope. Notwithstanding language in Block 9 of the SF 33 cover sheet of this solicitation that may state otherwise, submit ONLY ONE (1) of each disk (no additional copies required). If you will be sending your CD or ZIP disks by any method other than US Postal Service, see the Section L provision 52.215-4003 (TACOM), entitled "Handcarried Offers," for delivery instructions.
- (2) E-MAIL. If you choose to use e-mail, address your offer to offers@tacom.army.mil. DO NOT E-MAIL OFFERS TO THE BUYER. THE SUBJECT LINE OF THE E-MAIL MUST READ: "OFFER--[solicitation number], [name of Company/offeror], CLOSES [closing date]". Maximum size of each e-mail message shall be three and one-half (3.5) megabytes. Use the file compression described in the NOTE in paragraph (a) above. You may use multiple e-mail messages for each offer/submission, however, you must annotate the subject lines as described above for each message, and number them in this manner: "Message 1 of 3, 2 of 3, 3 of 3".
- (3) DATAFAX. Faxed offers MUST BE SENT TO TACOM'S NETWORK FAX SERVER ON 1-586-574-5527. DO NOT FAX OFFERS TO THE BUYER. SIMILARLY, DO NOT ADDRESS THE FAX TO THE BUYER. YOU MUST ADDRESS THE FAX TO THE ATTENTION OF offers@tacom.armv.mil AS THIS IS THE LOCATION WHERE YOUR FAX MUST BE RECEIVED. THE COVER PAGE OF THE FAX MUST CLEARLY INDICATE THAT THE FAX SHOULD BE SENT TO offers@tacom.army.mil.

Paper faxes are not acceptable. Transmit only one offer for each datafax transaction. Clearly identify the offer as such on your fax cover page or via your PC, include your company's name, and state the proper internal TACOM address: offers@tacom.army.mil. Offerors may send a fax using a personal computer or standalone fax machine, but it must be sent to the above number. If you use a standalone fax machine, you won't receive a confirmation of receipt. See paragraph (e) below for the minimum requirements of your offer. Maximum size of datafax offers is three and one-half megabytes (3.5MB), the same limitation as that for e-mail offers. For your datafax, use the same subject line as that for e:mails as indicated above: "OFFER--[solicitation number], [name of your Company/offeror], CLOSES [closing datel".

Unless specifically instructed otherwise in this solicitation, select only one medium by which to transmit each offer. For instance, do not submit an offer via 100 or 250 megabyte ${\tt Zip*-disk}$ AND e-mail.

- (c) Lateness rules for submitted disks, e-mail, or datafax submissions are outlined in FAR 52.215-1, "Instructions to Offerors--Competitive Acquisition", listed in Section L of this solicitation. Pay particular attention to paragraph (c)(3) of that clause as it relates to the timing of e-mail or datafax submissions.
- (d) Security Note: If you choose to password-protect access to your offer, you must provide the password to TACOM at least ten days prior to submitting the protected file. Contact the buyer to arrange a means of providing the password. Passwords used only for the purpose of write protecting files need not be provided.
- (e) Electronic offers must include, as a minimum:
- (1) The SF33 cover sheet filled out. SIGNATURE: For offers submitted via disk or CD ROM per (b)(1) above, this SF 33 cover sheet must be signed and included electronically in your disk or CD. Clearly label the disc/CD ROM as described in paragraph (b)(1) above, adding the name and title of the signer authorizing your company, your company name, and then sign the LABEL itself. Datafaxed offers also must include a signed SF 33 cover sheet. E-mailed offers must also include a signed SF 33 cover sheet that can be either faxed or scanned. If faxed to the TACOM Network Fax Server (1-586-574-5527), you must annotate that it is being submitted together with your e-mailed offer. If scanned, attach it to your e-mail offer (or first e-mail message if you are sending multiple e-mails due to length).
- (2) All applicable fill-in provisions from Sections A, B, F, and K of this solicitation. You may find Word versions of Section K provisions requiring your fill-in on our TACOM Business Opportunities webpage (http://contracting.tacom.army.mil/mastersol/sectionk.htm). You can fill them in and attach them to your offer. See the solicitation for which provisions are required. Also, Section E provisions filled in (if applicable): Inspection Point: Origin, TACOM clause 52.246-4028.
- All applicable fill-ins must be completed and submitted by the offeror. (3) A statement of agreement to all the terms, conditions, and provisions of this solicitation.
 - (4) Any other information required by the solicitation.
- (f) Please see FAR 15.207(c) for a description of the steps the Government shall take with regard to unreadable offers.
- (g) Offerors shall make every effort to ensure that their offer is virus-free. Offers (or portions thereof) submitted which DO reflect the presence of a virus, or which are otherwise rendered unreadable by damage in either physical or electronic transit, shall be treated as "unreadable" per paragraph (f) above.

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16 52.215-4010 AUTHORIZED NEGOTIATORS JAN/1998

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Please identify, below, the representatives that are authorized to negotiate on your organization's behalf with the Government in connection with this request for proposals or request for information:

PERSONS AUTHORIZED TO NEGOTIATE

| NAME | TITLE | TELEPHONE NUMBER |
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17 52.217-4003 EVALUATION OF INCOMPLETE OPTION PRICING FEB/1998 (TACOM)

USE OF CLASS I OZONE-DEPLETING SUBSTANCES (CIODS)

- (a) Per FAR 17.203(d), offerors may price the option CLIN in this solicitation incrementally, by entering different option unit prices that will apply to different subquantities or quantity ranges (in the event that the Government elects to exercise less than 100% of the option). Notwithstanding this fact, the provision entitled EVALUATION OF OPTIONS (FAR 52.217-5, located elsewhere in this solicitation) indicates that the Government's evaluation for contract award will include each offeror's price for 100% of the option quantity.
- (b) In light of the above, if an offeror specifies unit prices that apply to one or more option quantity ranges, but does not specify a unit price for 100% of the option, the Government will evaluate that offer for award as follows. The option price for such offer shall be deemed to be the higher of (i) the unit price that applies to the basic (non-option) quantity, or (ii) the highest unit price that is identified against any range or subquantity of the option CLIN.

52.223-4002 (TACOM)

(a) Definitions.

(1) <u>Class I Ozone-Depleting Substances (CIODS)</u> refers to the class of substances identified in Section 602(a) of the Clean Air Act, (42 U.S.C. 7671a(a)), as reproduced below:

- chlorofluorocarbon-11 (CFC-11) (i) (ii) chlorofluorocarbon-12 (CFC-12) (iii) chlorofluorocarbon-13 (CFC-13) (iv) chlorofluorocarbon-111 (CFC-111) chlorofluorocarbon-112 (CFC-112) (v) (vi) chlorofluorocarbon-113 (CFC-113) (vii) chlorofluorocarbon-114 (CFC-114) (viii) chlorofluorocarbon-115 (CFC-115) (ix) chlorofluorocarbon-211 (CFC-211) chlorofluorocarbon-212 (CFC-212) (x)chlorofluorocarbon-213 (CFC-213) (xi) chlorofluorocarbon-214 (CFC-214) (xii) (xiii) chlorofluorocarbon-215 (CFC-215) chlorofluorocarbon-216 (CFC-216) (xiv) chlorofluorocarbon-217 (CFC-217) (xv) (xvi) halon-1211 halon-1301 (xvii) (xviii) halon-2402 (xix) carbon tetrachloride methyl chloroform (xx)
- (xxi) Methyl bromide
 (xxii) hydrobromofluorocarbons (HBFCs)
- (xxiii) All isomers of the substances listed in this paragraph (a)(1) except for 1,1,2-trichloroethane, which is an isomer of methyl chloroform.

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(2) <u>Directly requires the use of CIODS</u> means that the Government's specification or technical data package, at any tier, explicitly requires the use of any Class I Ozone-Depleting Substance (CIODS) in performance of the contract.

(3) <u>Indirectly requires the use of CIODS</u> means that the Government's specification or technical data package, while not explicitly requiring the use of any CIODS, does require a feature that you can meet or produce only by the use of CIODS.

(b) Per Section 326 of Public Law 102-484, the Department of Defense cannot award any contract that directly or indirectly requires the use of CIODS unless (i) the use of such substances is essential for contract performance, and (ii) no suitable substitute for the CIODS currently is available.

(c) Before releasing this solicitation, we conducted a best effort review of its technical requirements, standards, and specifications, to see if any contain requirements for CIODS. If we identified any such CIODS requirements, they are identified in subparagraph (d)(1) below.

(1) In addition, to help TACOM meet its obligations under Public Law 102-484, we ask you for input. If you have any special knowledge about any CIODS requirements that our specifications impose, whether directly or indirectly, or if you know about potential substitutes for any CIODS required by our specifications, we would appreciate the information.

(2) It should be understood that you are not obligated to give us the information requested by this provision, and that we cannot provide any separate or special payment for doing so. However, we are asking only for information based on knowledge that is readily available to you as a supplier in this industry. We do not expect you to do any review of our specifications more extensive than the one you perform in order to develop your price.

(d) Please summarize your own review of our specification/technical data package, by completing the following:

| (1) | Du: | ring | our | review | of | the | specification | or | technical | data | package | in | this | solicitation, | we |
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| | [|] | have | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | [|] | have | not | | | | | | | | | | | |

found any direct requirements to use any CIODS. (If <u>have</u> is checked above, offerors are asked to identify, on the following lines, (i) any specifications and standards not already listed immediately below that directly require the use of CIODS; (ii) the CIODS required by the listed specifications and standards; and (iii) whether any substitutes are known to be available for the listed CIODS.)

| | | Spec/Standard | Required CIODS | Available? | |
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| | | | | | |
| (2) | Further, in our | review of the specific | ation or technical data pa | ckage in this solicitation, we- | - |
| | [] have [] have not | | | | |

found any indirect requirements to use any CIODS. (Offerors who check <u>have</u> above are asked to identify, on the following lines, (i) the specifications and standards for this acquisition that indirectly require the use of CIODS; (ii) the CIODS indirectly required by each listed specification and standard; and (iii) whether any substitutes are known to be available for the listed CIODS.)

| <u>Spec/Standard</u> | Required CIODS | <u>Available?</u> |
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(e) Offerors who check <u>have</u> in paragraphs (d)(1) or (2) above also are requested to say whether substitutes are known to be available for any of the CIODS. If an available substitute would perform less well than the CIODS would perform, please let us know what the technical trade-offs are to the extent that you have such information available.

(f) If you checked <u>have</u> in paragraphs (d)(1) or (2) above, and also indicated that substitutes for CIODS are available, we need to know whether use of the suggested substitute would have any effect on your proposed price. If your proposal price for compliance with our current specifications differs from what your price would be if the substitute for CIODS were required, we ask that you let us know what the difference would be in Section B of this solicitation, by giving us two prices or offers:

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--One price/offer, labeled with CIODS, will be the offered price in the event that CIODS are used.

--The second price/offer, labeled <u>without CIODS</u>, will be the price offered if substitutes for CIODS are used, and will specify the substitute(s) being proposed for use.

(g) Section 326 of Public Law 102-484 reflects the national and international interest in minimizing the use of CIODS. For this reason, TACOM reserves the right to (i) determine the suitability of substitutes for CIODS when such potential substitutes are available; and (ii) change the specification in any contract awarded as a result of this solicitation, to require the use of suitable substitutes in lieu of CIODS.

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- 19 52.233-4000 NOTICE REGARDING TACOM OMBUDSPERSON AND AMC-LEVEL PROTEST PROGRAM MAY/2000 (TACOM)
- (a) At the Tank-automotive and Armaments Command (TACOM) we have an ombudsperson office, which builds an extra communication avenue that our contractors can use.
- (b) If you think that this solicitation contains inappropriate requirements, needs streamlining, or should be changed, you should first contact the buyer or the Procuring Contracting Officer (PCO).
 - (c) The buyer's name and phone number are on the cover page (SF 1449) of this solicitation in block number 7.
- (d) If the buyer or PCO doesn't respond to the problem to your satisfaction, or if you want to make comments anonymously, you can contact the Ombudsperson's Office. Our Ombudsperson is Ms. LaRuth Shepherd. Her address, e-mail and phone number are:

U.S. Army TACOM AMSTA-CM-PY (Ms. Shepherd) Warren, MI 48397-5000

 ${\tt shepherl@cc.tacom.army.mil}$

(810) 574-6597 or 6547

- (e) If you contact Ms. Shepherd, please provide her with the following information:
 - i. TACOM solicitation number;
 - ii. Name of PCO;
 - iii. Problem description;
 - iv. Summary of your discussions with the buyer/PCO.
- (f) Another avenue you can use, if you wish to protest some feature of this acquisition, is to protest to TACOM's headquarters, the Army Materiel Command. The AMC-level protest program encourages interested parties to seek resolution of their concerns within AMC as an Alternative Dispute Resolution forum, rather than filing a protest with the General Accounting Office or other external forum. Contract award or performance is suspended during an AMC-level protest to the same extent, and within the same time periods, as would apply to a protest filed with the GAO. The AMC program has a goal of resolving protests within 20 working days from the date of filing. To be timely, AMC-level protests must be filed within the periods specified in subpart 33.103 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation.
 - (g) To file an AMC-level protest, send the protest to:

HQ Army Materiel Command Office of Command Counsel ATTN: AMCCC-PL 5001 Eisenhower Ave. Alexandria, VA 22333-0001

voice phone: (703)-617-8176
fax phone: (703)-617-4999 or 5680.

If you have a web-browser, you can use the following HTTP to view the complete AMC-level protest procedures:

http://www.amc.army.mil/amc/cc/protest.html

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| (a) If the items you are offering us normally are provided with a warranty when sold to other customers, we expect the same warranty coverage if we award you a contract as a result of this solicitation. In that event we will need the details of your warranty, so we'd like some warranty information as part of your response to the solicitation. You may do so either by attaching a standard brochure or information sheet, or by filling out the following. If you are providing warranty data in the form of a brochure or information sheet, please check the following box, and then fill in additional information below only to the extent that it isn't already covered in the material you are attaching. |
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| () Warranty data is covered in attached information sheet, entitled: |
| (b) Please tell us about your warranty: |
| (1) How long is the warranty period? (If you do not give a warranty on the item you are offering us in this bid or proposal, just enter <u>NONE</u> , and then skip to paragraph (6) below.) |
| (2) Does the warranty run strictly in terms of time after the sale, or does it also expire based upon usage of the item (for example, after X hours of operation, or after Y miles driven)? |
| (3) What does the warranty cover? Does it cover all failures in the item during the warranty period, or are there exclusions? |
| Does the warranty cover replacement parts only, or is labor included as well? |
| (4) How does the warranty start? Does it begin automatically, after acceptance by the customer, or must the customer submit a card or other documentation to begin the warranty coverage? |
| (5) Do you have any methodology for delayed start of the warranty period (such as if TACOM buys the items and stores them for three months before issuing them to the field users)? |
| (6) Is 100% of the warranty coverage provided by you, or are any components covered by pass-through warranties from their manufacturers, which might require us as a customer to deal directly with someone other than you on a warranty claim? |
| () No pass-through warranties will apply: all warranty coverage is provided and administered by us. |
| () Yes, pass-through warranties will apply, on the following, which would require warranty claims to be submitted directly to another company on these items: COMPONENT/SUBSYSTEM WARRANTY DURATION |
| (7) Where do customers make a claim against the warranty? Must a claim be filed in a central location first, or can the defective item be taken to any authorized dealer? If the latter, who are the authorized dealers? |
| (8) When making a claim, how must we identify the item as being within the warranty period? (This concerns us because the |

field users of this equipment work at geographically dispersed sites, where proof of purchase will not be available.)

(10) Is an extended warranty available?

(9) What circumstances, if any, will void the warranty?

() Yes

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If an extended warranty is available, what is the cost of the extra coverage, and what are its terms?

21 52.247-4010 TRANSPORTATION DATA FOR F.O.B. ORIGIN OFFERS FEB/1994 (TACOM)

(a) Provide the following information for us to use in selecting the most favorable mode of shipment. We'll also use this information in our evaluation of transportation costs.

Offeror represents that:

available

| (1) | Facilities for shipping by rail |
|------|---|
| | [] are [] are not |
| at t | he F.O.B. point(s) stated in this solicitation. |
| (2) | If rail facilities are not available at the F.O.B. point(s), the name and location of the nearest team track is |
| | |

(LOCATION)

(3) Facilities for shipping by water

(NAME)

[] are [] are not

available at the F.O.B. point(s) stated in this solicitation.

(4) Facilities for shipping by motor

[] are [] are not

available at the F.O.B. point(s) stated in this solicitation.

(5) If there is a Contractor Reimbursable Loading Charge and you didn't include it in the offered unit price in Section B, please indicate it below, per unit:

> RAIL:____/Unit MOTOR:_____/Unit WATER:_____/Unit

CAUTION: GIVE THE COST OF REIMBURSABLE LOADING CHARGE (NOT ALREADY IN THE OFFERED UNIT PRICE) ON A PER UNIT BASIS. THE UNIT OF MEASURE IS AS INDICATED ON THE SCHEDULE PAGE, SECTION B, UNDER THE UNIT COLUMN.

- (b) We will consider any charge listed above in the overall transportation evaluation of this solicitation. Unless you fill-in the above information for loading charges, we will consider all costs associated with loading to be included in the item price offered in Section B. These costs include: (i) loading, (ii) blocking, (iii) bracing, (iv) drayage, (v) switching, or (vi) any other service necessary to effect delivery F.O.B. carrier's equipment you've indicated as available and we specify at time of shipment.
- (c) If rail facilities aren't available at the designated F.O.B. point(s), rail won't be used unless directed by the Administrative Contracting Officer (ACO). If the ACO tells you rail facilities will be used, we'll adjust the contract price by adding the loading charge filled in above for transportation to the nearest rail facility.
- (d) IF YOU DO NOT FILL IN AN ADDITIONAL CHARGE FOR RAIL SHIPMENT ABOVE, YOU AGREE THAT THE CONTRACT PRICE ALREADY INCLUDES ALL CHARGES FOR SUCH SHIPMENTS. THEREFORE, SHIPMENT BY RAIL WILL NOT COST US ANY MORE.

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22 52.247-4015 EVALUATION OF TRANSPORTATION COSTS FOR OPTIONS (F.O.B. ORIGIN) MAR/2002 (TACOM)

- (a) We will compute and identify transportation costs pertaining to the option quantity identified in Section B of the solicitation in the same manner as we calculated the cost for the basic quantity.
- (b) Where only one basic quantity destination is identified, we will base our evaluation of transportation costs for the option quantity to that destination. Where two or more basic quantity destinations are identified, we will evaluate the option using the same ratio as the basic quantity.

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